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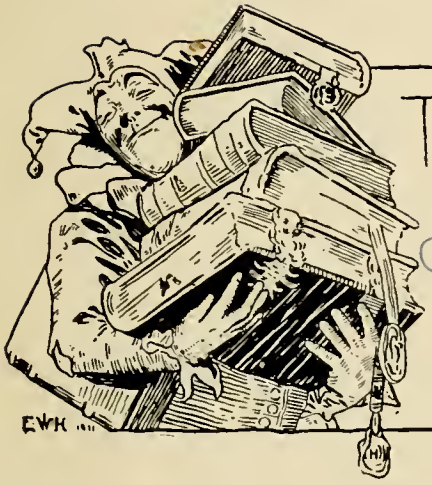

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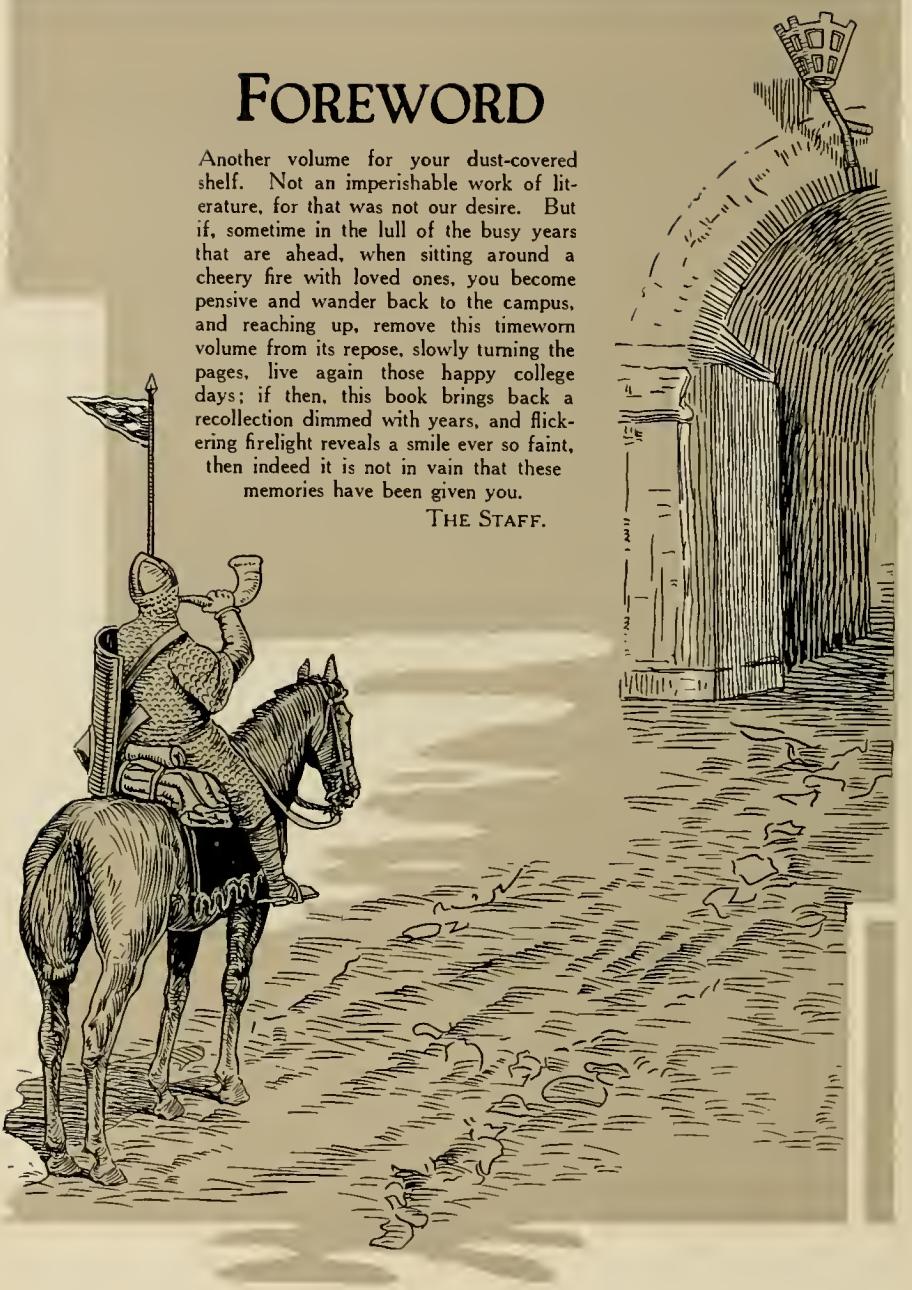

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Mothers and Fathers

Who are so dear to us and have been, through their boundless love, their incomparable companionship, their untiring devotion and sacrifice for us, a constant inspiration for the best that life holds in store, we dedicate this volume of the MURMURMONTIS as a token of our appreciation and love.

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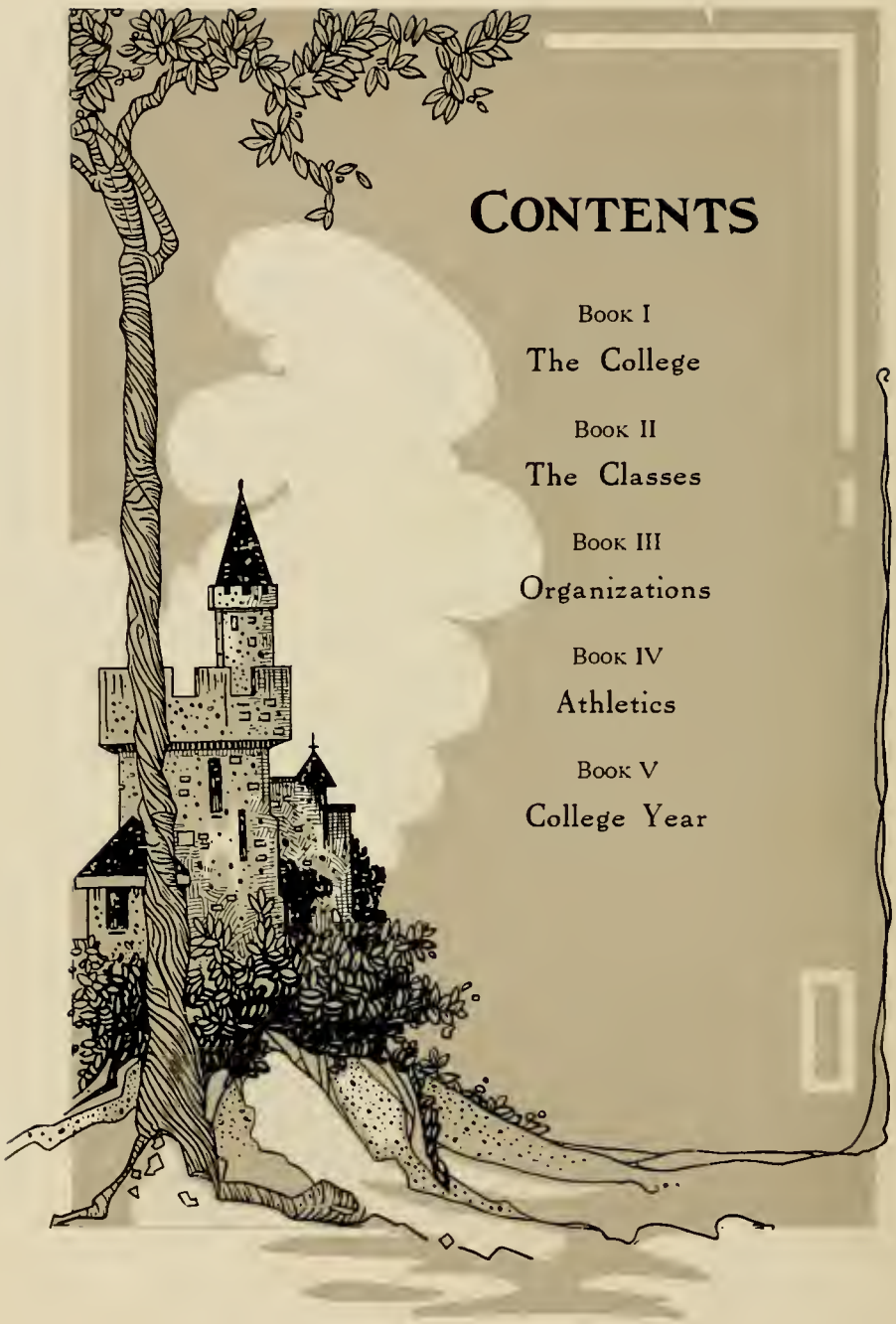

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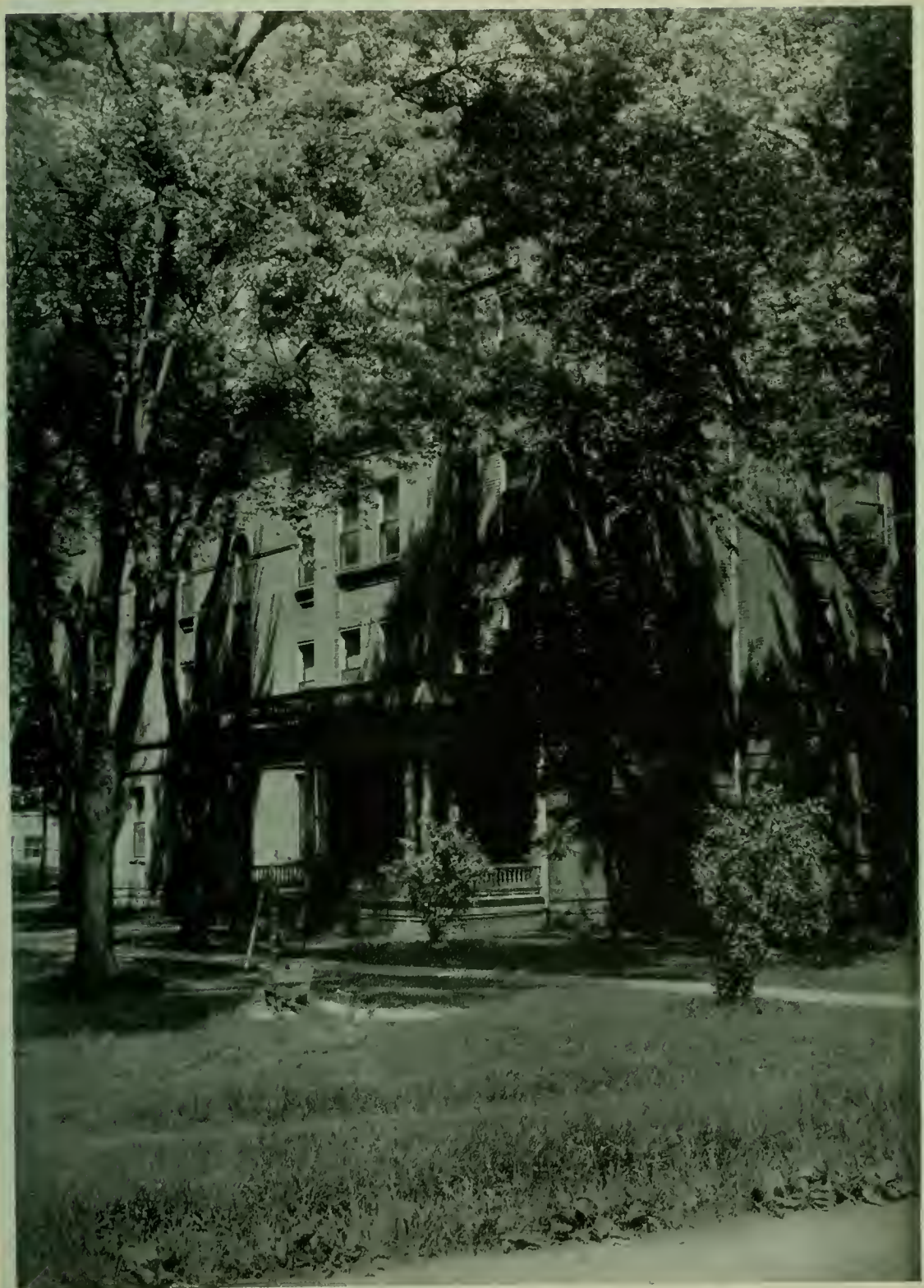
THE COLLEGE

For let Philosopher and Doctor preach
Of what they will, and what they will not—each
Is but one Link in an eternal Chain
That none can slip, nor break, nor over-reach.

—*Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam.*

BOOK ONE



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Alma Mater of the Mountains

Alma Mater of the mountains, West Virginia Wesleyan,
At thy magic mystic fountains noblest dreams of life began.
We, thy children, bow before thee;
We, thy children, now adore thee,
And pledge God, Who watches o'er thee,
Thou shalt fill the ample measures of His plan.

Alma Mater, Queen of Learning, of the Orange and the Black,
At thy call to wisdom turning naught of worth thy sons shall lack.
For the teaching of thy sages,
With the writ of sacred pages,
Will transmit the wealth of ages,
Down the future's ever-wider, brighter track.

Alma Mater of the Highland, guardian of romantic years,
Thou dost bring us to the skylands, with thy faith dispel our fears.
Give us friendship waning never,
And a call to high endeavor,
And companionship forever,
With the God who guides the courses of the spheres.

Alma Mater of the Mountains, West Virginia Wesleyan,
At thy magic mystic fountains noblest dreams of life began.
We, thy children, bow before thee,
We, thy children, now adore thee,
And pledge God, who watches o'er thee,
Thou shalt fill the ample measures of His plan.

Wallace B. Fleming.

THE CLASSES

Myself when young did eagerly frequent
Doctor Saint and heard great argument
About it and about but evermore
Came out by the same door as in I went.

—*Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam.*

BOOK TWO

Senior Class

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FAIRVIEW, WEST VA.

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"If it be a gentleman and a scholar ye seek,
Ye have found him."

A man of nob'e caliber. Some people impress one as being capable of real friendship and loyalty from the first glance. Clyde is one of these, and even more. His genial disposition, dependability and sense of humor are some of his outstanding characteristics. Clyde has proved himself one of the most proficient and consistent members of the class. He exhibits a versatility that will serve him in good stead in the years to come.

LORENE WESTFALL, A.B.

CHARLESTON, WEST VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Student Council; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet, '24-'25, '25-'26, Secretary, '24-'25; Vice-President Class, '22-'23, Treasurer, '25-'26; Excelsior; P. K. C.; Student Government at Hall; Murmurmontis Staff, '26; Representative at World Court Conference; Haught Literary President, '26.

"Piano is her study—her playing is divine,
And some day in the halls of fame her name—
And eyes—will shine."

Who? Oh, Lorene Westfall. Certainly, everybody knows her. She's an A-1 student and her scholastic record, as shown by the record on the Dean's books, is enviable. And you should hear her play the piano or if your tastes be social, Lorene makes a wonderful and delightful companion. She herself says she is a lover of music, books, athletics, and good times. It is extremely difficult to classify one of such great accomplishments. We might add she has that precious quality of friendship which is so desirable.

SENIORS

GENEWRA BEATRICE VAN DEVENDER
A.B.

SPENCER, WEST VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Varsity Basketball, '24, Varsity Hockey, '23; Forensic Association; Y. W. C. A. Treasurer, '26; Haught Club; Wesleyan Players.

"Build for character, not for fame."

Here we have a girl whom the whole school looks up to and admires—a hard worker who has divided well her time between studies and college activities. "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again"—that seems to be her motto, and in her years of college work it has, by no means brought her failure. Perseverance is no mean personal quality, and it goes far toward achieving success. Trix can carry off the honors in her classes if she wishes, and we find that as well as excelling in books, she excels in athletics, dramatics, and oratory.

SEWARD REESE, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Alpha Gamma Phi; Wesleyan Players President, '25-'26; State Forensic Association; Chresto Treasurer, '23; President of Sophomore Class; Glee Club, Orchestra; Vice-President of Senior Class; Reporter of Wesleyan Players, '24-'25; Pharos Staff Advertising Manager, '22-'23; Wesleyan Debating Club; Student Tour; Stewart Cup for Reading, '25; Represented Wesleyan in State Oratorical Contest, '26; Y. M. C. A.

"And the elements
So mixed in him, that Nature might stand up
And say to all the world: 'This was a gentleman.'"

"Who is that man crossing the campus by such long strides?" "Oh, that's 'Cot,' and he is one of the best fellows in College." He is a man of sterling worth, who has proved his ability in more than one way. "Cot" is witty, and an ever welcome addition to any social group. He has just enough wit to make his words effective, and at the same time he shows depths of thought, and knowledge of books. His brilliancy of intellect is well set off by a fund of good common horse sense. "Cot" is indeed "still and quiet, deeper than you may think."

SENIORS

W. FRANK JACK

PENNSBORO, WEST VA.

Manager Basketball, '25-'26; President Commerce Club, Class Treasurer; Pharos Staff, '24-'25, Murmurmontis Staff, '26; Pharos Board of Control; Captain Class Basketball, '23; Captain Track, '23, '24; Football Squad, '22, '23; Varsity Club.

"There is a bigger job awaiting your ability to handle it."

How we are going to get along without Frank is hard to predict, but Wesleyan will never be the same after he goes. We were lucky to have with us for four years a man with such a personality, and when he goes, he will leave a vacancy that only the best can fill. He has established himself as one of the best students to be found on the campus, and as for Business Administration, just look around and try to find somebody who knows more about it than Frank. Naturally, he will do big things and be a success in whatever he undertakes.

MARY ESTHER McWHORTER, B.S.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Secretary of Class; Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior.

"The fine art of making friends, and not enemies, is more than accomplishment—it is inborn individuality."

What was Mary Esther intended for anyway? It certainly is difficult to determine. Wherever she is, she fits in exactly. She is capable of accomplishing much. Probably it is her ability to get others to do, quite as much as her own doing, that brings her such great success and popularity in whatever kind of work she undertakes. Her eager enthusiasm and cheerful disposition have won her a permanent place in the hearts of all.

SENIORS

FAY LOUISE THOMAS, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Chresto; Girls' A. A.; Athletic Board, '24-'25; Girls' Glee Club.

"A friend may well be reckoned the masterpiece of time."

Instructors never realize what they are missing when they fail to take advantage of Louise's (obiter dictums) on their lectures. Louise can resuscitate a dead lecture with her individual comments (sotto voce) and her personal observations (stage whispers) from the back of a lecture room. Popular sportswomen are rare. But, after all; so are Louises.' What her ambition is, probably but few know. Everyone, however, is sure that she has an ambition, and is equally sure that, with her steadfastness and sincerity, she can attain her goal.

JOHN H. MOORE, A.B.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Student Council, '22-'23, Vice-President, '23; Wesleyan Players; Class Treasurer, '23; Vice-President Players, '24; Varsity Football, '22-'23-'24-'25; Varsity Club Secretary, '24-'25; Coach Freshman Basketball; Chresto; Student Representative Speaking Tour, '24; Business Manager Murmurmontis, '26; Varsity Basketball, '22.

"He's brilliant, clever, of a rare turn of mind.
You'll have to look far to find one
of his kind."

Shortly after John entered College, the fact that he was among the ablest men in his class was discovered, and unceasingly, since his Freshman year, has he been one of the mainstays of the class of '26. He has, in a most admirable fashion, borne the many honorable and responsible positions with which his fellow-students have entrusted him. He has displayed those characteristics of real worth which are truly his, by the laudable manner in which he has so wisely lived his college life.

It has been a priceless privilege for us to have known John as a classmate and friend; and we bid you farewell, with the knowledge that Wesleyan's loss is the world's gain.

SENIORS

BRUCE REPPERT, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Chresto; Wesleyan Players; Benzene Ring; Pharos Staff; Tennis Squad.

"A man he seems of cheerful yesterdays and confident tomorrows."

You'll have to hand it to "Soupy" when it comes to anything pertaining to Chemistry and we are looking for him to startle the world in the line of that science. He is the one we all go to when our Chemistry seems impossible, and, strange to say, when he gets through with us, we know more about the subject than we had thought was in it. But this is only one characteristic of Bruce. All that he does is done well and in the right way.

MADELINE SHACKELFORD, B.S.

GRAFTON, WEST VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Y. W. C. A., Excelsior, Girls' Athletic Association.

"True as the needle to the pole,
Or as the dial to the sun."

We wish for Madeline every success that life has to offer. Her friendly nature and ready smile are the surest safeguards against the breaks which one must encounter in the game of life. Of these two things we are certain: "She will play the game fairly, and in the end she will win." Projecting our vision forward along the line determined by her past achievements and present characteristics, we have no fear for Madeline's welfare.

SENIORS

MARTHA VIRGINIA BROOKS, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Chresto; Y. W. C. A.; Girls' Athletic Association.

"Quiet in appearance with motives unknown."

If asked the secret of a woman's popularity and esteem on a college campus, we would invariably answer, "Personality." And yet, we would not comprehend our own definition, for personality is a quality subtle and indefinable, bestowed by nature on but few. This is just one of Martha's characteristics. Able, versatile, humorous, she is one of the best liked girls on our campus. In deepest regret we part with this young lady of profound thought and warmest friendship.

EDWARD FABIAN GARRITY, A.B.

WEST UNION, WEST VA.

Varsity Football, '22, '23, '24, '25, Varsity Baseball, '24, '25, '26, Class Basketball, '23, '24, '25, '26; Varsity Club Vice-President; Chresto.

"It is not wise to be wiser than necessary."

If you are looking for an all-around fellow, here he is. Irish is one of the most popular fellows in the class; and, in fact, in the college. His jokes and tales are always in demand. But he is not always jovial and lighthearted, for, when he starts down the gridiron with that little pigskin in the crook of his arm, he means business. Irish is a fine fellow and a noble athlete.

In the future the college will be proud that Irish chose Wesleyan as his Alma Mater.

SENIORS

TYSON PRENTICE KISHBAUGH, A.B.

CLARKSBURG, WEST VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Varsity Football, '22, '23; Varsity Basketball, '22, '23; Track, '22 '23, '24; Varsity Club.

"Worth, courage, honor, these indeed
Your sustenance and birthright are."

When a young man dabbles in verse, it is mighty suspicious; when he commences to heave sighs, those suspicions are confirmed. To be a man of truth and to have coupled with this an attractive personality is indeed to be a person gifted of the Gods. Such qualities we who have known "Kish" have found in him. In whatever field "Kish" expends his energy we are sure that he will prove of inestimable worth.

ALICE McWHORTER, B.S.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Wesleyan Players, Secretary; Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior.

"She's all my fancy painted her; she's lovely, she's divine."

Even if we were richly gifted in the magic art of writing, there would still be something cold and impersonal in our painted word that would utterly fail to portray Alice as she really is. There are many fields in which Alice could profitably employ her talents—we believe she would succeed in almost any. Of course we do not claim to be seers or soothsayers, but we dare to predict for her a most successful career.

SENIORS

VIRGINIA ROHRBAUGH, B.S.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Excelsior; Y. W. C. A. Girls' Athletic Association.

"Thus it may be truly said
Natural wit on a level head."

Plans for any social event are incomplete unless Virginia's artistic hand has aided in the work. She has been endowed with a pair of sparkling eyes, a happy face and is always smiling and always cheerful. Realizing the truth of the old saying, "The shortest way to a man's heart is through his stomach," Virginia has become quite proficient in the art of cooking. We venture that there will be some lucky chap who will rope her in and utilize this splendid accomplishment.

EDWARD CHARLES TRAINER, A.B.

PARKERSBURG, WEST VA.

Varsity Football, '22, '23, '24, '25; Varsity Club.

"Silence heals and pleads, and is many times more eloquent than words, more convincing than arguments."

Ed has taken his four years of college life just as it is supposed to be taken—as a play where every student is an actor, where the campus is the stage, and where the members of the faculty are the directors of the company, and the producers of the finished product which is before you. Realizing that for the play to be a success, those who appear in the performance should act their parts with the best grace possible; he has worked earnestly, diligently, and faithfully for the success of the drama. Using the past as a rule by which to measure the future, we know he will not fail.

SENIORS

JOHN McGRAW, Jr., B.S.

CHARLESTON, WEST VA.

Benzene Ring; Cutshall Literary; Excelsior.

"Discovering the things to do is the first move, but doing them is getting home from third."

No scientific phenomenon can thwart his ingenious mind; no calculation problem can escape his pencil; no obscure theory of anything worldly or otherwise can resist his penetrating wisdom. With an inventive mind, ingenious heart, and ready hand, he is thus equipped for the whole of life. The height of his ambition is to clear the field in mathematics. We believe he has a splendid future and we expect to hear much of his great achievements.

MARY SWISHER, B.S.

LOST CREEK, WEST VA.

Excelsior; Y. W. C. A.; Girls' Athletic Association; Y. W. Cabinet, '25-'26; Benzene Ring; Girls' A. A.; Social Committee Senior Class.

"A good heart is worth gold."

Cheerful and witty, constant and serious, with strong convictions that we have seen deepening during the last year, she has won her way into our lives. Though she, too, makes mistakes and becomes despondent at times, no student at Wesleyan has a more broad and optimistic outlook on life than she. She has that virtue which we often jokingly call a fault—she is very generous with her heart.

SENIORS

MARY ELIZABETH JACKSON, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Chresto; Y. W. C. A.; Haught Club, Vice-President, '26.

"A jolly, unselfish personality is the greatest gift of all."

Betty, as she is popularly known on the campus, is one of our resourceful standbys. To contribute to her success, Betty has an engaging manner, social poise, and a frank friendliness which presage for her the complete fulfillment of her high ambitions. The one thing that puzzles us in her makeup is her astounding modesty. It seems impossible that Betty will not achieve all the great laurels which her friends are wishing for her.

JUSTUS A. DEAHL, A.B.

NEWBURG, WEST VA.

Debate Team, '24-'25; Chresto; Masonic Club; Y. M. C. A.

"He comprehends his trust, and to the same Keeps faithful with a singleness of aim."

Justus does not make friends immediately, but he makes them after a while, and all who know him count him as a friend among friends. He is the quiet, friendly type of man, and he belongs, undoubtedly, to that class from which our state has drawn its best citizens. He is a happy combination of friend, scholar, and gentleman.

SENIORS

MARTIN LAWRENCE DIETRICH, A.B.

MINERVA, OHIO

Football, '22, '23, '24, '25; Class Basketball, '22, '23, '25; Varsity Club; Commerce Club.

"It is a friendly heart that has plenty of friends."

"Dutch" has made an admirable record at Wesleyan along all lines, but especially in the athletic line has he shown an achieved distinction. He has been one of the outstanding players on the football team for four years; and no better outfielder has ever clad himself in Wesleyan uniform. In saying farewell to you, just remember, "old man," that we send you into the world to do your life's work, and that you carry with you the esteem and affection of every one of your college mates, the same fellows that have known you as a true blue man for four long years.

VIRGINIA MARTIN, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Y. W. C. A.

"Earnest and steady endeavor will some day receive its reward."

It is truly a gift of fortune to possess a sense of appropriateness which enables one always to speak or act in strict accordance with the requirements of the particular occasion. Virginia possesses such an attribute, and we suppose that is the reason we have become accustomed to look upon her as a sort of oracle. One must know Virginia in order to appreciate her for she is rather quiet and reserved. We sincerely wish her a successful career in the broader school of life.

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VIRGINIA SMITH, A.B.

BLAINE, WEST VA.

Kappa Phi Omega; Y. W. C. A.; Girls' Athletic Association; Excelsior; Glee Club; President of Girls' Glee Club, '25-'26; President of Student Government, '25-'26; Judge of Girls' Court.

"An intellect of highest worth, a heart of purest gold."

"Pore thing." She can't make good grades; she can't sing much; she isn't at all attractive. In fact, to hear her tell it, all she will ever do is to teach school in an obscure one-horse town, then retire to some quiet "Home for Old Maids." But you just ought to watch her—it's a liberal education. Great talent in music, aptness in studies, dry humor, and unique personality are just a few of her characteristics. She herself says she is a lover of books and good times. We might add that she is a good sport in the truest sense of the word. As a House President she has been efficient and ideal. What more can be said?

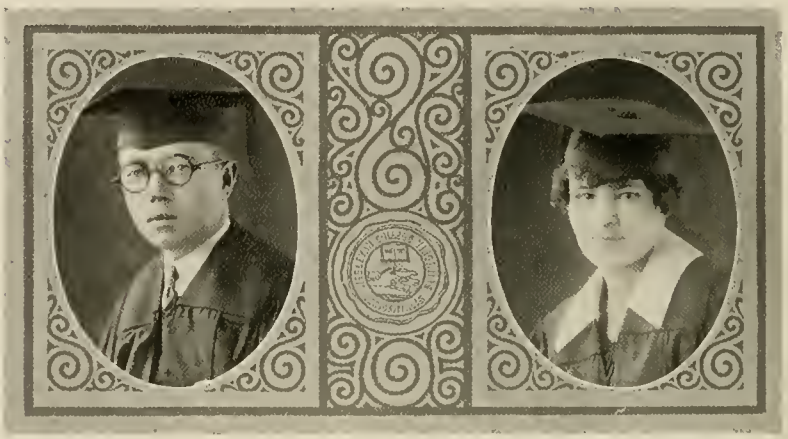
WILLIAM T. O'BRIEN, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Alpha Gamma Phi; Student Council, '25; Cheer Leader, '22-'23, '24-'25, '25-'26; Excelsior President, '25; Wesleyan Players Business Manager, '24-'25, '25-'26.

"Good humor is the clear blue sky of the soul, the bright weather of the heart."

Bill is a very loyal son of Wesleyan; in fact, he's a regular shrinking violet. He has a reputation as the most modest man in school; yet modesty is only a virtue when assumed by a man of extraordinary abilities. As for his ability, any fellow who can specialize in English and then—well, we always were charitable. Bill could overcome any foe with his smile and we know he has put many a victory to our credit with his natural ability to lead cheers. Ne'er in earth's everlasting strife is there a like to Bill.



SENIORS

RAYMOND CONOVER SHAW, A.B.

ANDOVER, NEW JERSEY

Glee Club; Alpha Gamma Phi; Y. M. C. A. Secretary, '24; Cutshall Literary President, '25; Secretary, '24; Advertising Manager Pharos, '24; Managing Editor of Pharos, '25; Business Manager of Glee Club, '24; President of Glee Club, '25-'26.

"Energy and persistance conquer all things."

Shaw represents to us the classic example of the man who does, without boasting. You never know he is around unless you see him. Yet he has accomplished much of which he can be justly proud. He has that rare balance of personality that is bound to make one attractive. He is courteous to all, unkind to none, always ready to help a friend, and willing to put his best into any task he is called upon to perform. We confidently predict that Fortune will smile on him with her richest favors.

OLIVE AGNES GALL, B.S.

MARTINSBURG, WEST VA.

Graduate in Art; Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior; Benzone Ring.

"A woman must not deny her manifest abilities, for that is to evade her obligations."

Olive has a sunny disposition for an art student; and by her willingness to do kind deeds, she makes the truest of friends and is a lover of good times. She is small in stature, of a larger mental capacity, but with a heart bigger than them all, that's Olive all over. She is always happy, but never more happy than when she is weilding a paint brush. She is extremely talented in art, and equally as well talented in life.

SENIORS

HAZEL MARIE CLINE, B.S.

BEAVER FALLS, PA.

Y. W. C. A. Cabinet, '22, '25; Secretary Wesleyan Debating Club, President Wesleyan Debating Club; Chresto Secretary, '22, Vice-President, '23; Bonzeno Ring Vice-President, '24; Secretary Girl's Off Campus Association, '24; Student Volunteer; Wesleyan Players; Library Assistant.

"Quietness is an indication of ability to think."

Quietly, unassumingly, without pretense, without display, Hazel has made her way into the hearts of her classmates and the faculty. She has caught the spirit of our Alma Mater, and we know that as she makes her way through life, she will give to others many fine and indispensable things. We wish for her much success and we feel sure that life holds in store many good things for her.

JACOB EDWARD SEITZ, A.B.

ELKINS, WEST VA.

Y. M. C. A.; Chresto; Treasurer of Ministerial Association, '21-'22.

"Happy is he who has found his work."

In Jacob Seitz we have a sturdy, quiet student. He is not a man who will someday sweep the world off its feet, but by his conscientious hard work he will attain great success. He is known to everyone for his steadiness, reliability, and unassuming manner.

We hope Mr. Seitz will reap the joys of a successful career as a minister after he leaves this institution.

SENIORS

LESLIE TENNANT, A.B.

FAIRVIEW, WEST VA.

Alpha Gamma Phi; Cutshall Treasurer, '24; Glee Club; Chresto; Y. M. C. A. President, '25-'26; Debating, '25.

"He needs no eulogy; he speaks for himself."

Those who know Leslie best have found him always the truest of true friends, and a man whom anyone can trust with anything. Courteous, and a true gentleman in the purest sense of the word, he is liked by all who know him. His rare quality of leadership caused his college mates to choose him as President of their Y. M. C. A., and under his leadership the organization has taken a great stride forward.

OCEAN WHITE, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Chresto; Girls' Athletic Association.

"She is cheerful, hopeful and helpful towards all humans, and successful."

Ocean's activities have not been heralded before the world; her work has not been publicly and generally known, but it is, nevertheless, of that sterling worth which makes a woman's life valuable to her classmates. Everything has an end, though, and this is the end of her stay with us. We all wish for her that she may have the very best of success in all of her undertakings.

SENIORS

ESTHER TREW SIGAFOOSE, A.B.

MOUNDSVILLE, WEST VA.

Chresto Secretary, '25-'26; Glee Club Business Manager, '25-'26; Student Volunteer Secretary, '24-'25; President, '25-'26; Y. W. C. A., Secretary, '25-'26; Pharos Staff, '24-'25.

"The mildest manners with the bravest mind."

It takes just such serious-minded persons as Esther to hold the world in equilibrium. Esther is a good student and a loyal classmate. She is a splendid worker in whatever pertains to the cause of Christianity. She is preparing to be a missionary, and we all wish her much success in her future religious career.

GASTON ROLLIE COYNER, A.B.

PHILIPPI, WEST VA.

Ministerial Association; Circuit Pastor, Y. M. C. A.; Excelsior.

"He, while others slept, was toiling upward in the night."

Deeply religious, Gaston, is the kind of man that people put their confidence in. If he enters the ministry, we have no doubt that he will be a success, for his integrity, his conscientiousness, and his pursuit of the higher things of life make him the kind of man who can easily consecrate himself to a worthy cause. He is the kind of man who works for what he gets and works hard that he may get as much as possible.

SENIORS

NICHOLAS A. RASCHELLA, A.B.

ANMOORE, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Wesleyan Players; Varsity Football, '22, '23, '24, '25; Chresto; Treasurer, Wesleyan Players, '24; Vice-President Sophomore Class; Assistant Tournament Director, '24, '25, '26; Student Council President, '25, Junior Representative, '24; Varsity Club; Winner State Oratorical Contest, '24, '25; Editor Tournament Guide '26; Student Tour, '23-'25; Forensic Association; Murmurmontis Staff, '25; World Court Conference, '25; Winifred Anderson Contest, '25; Freshman Rules Committee.

"A proper man as one shall see on a summer's day."

Nick is president of the Student Body, but he's a likeable chap "for a' that." As president of Student Council he has proved himself alert, loyal and efficient. For four years he has made his reputation in athletics, being one of the best football men in school. Nick is the silver-tongued orator of the class and his work as an orator typifies his college work. By his genial disposition and kindly consideration for others he has made friends with all who have met him. The entire college will feel a loss when he is gone.

MILDRED MAE HALL, A.B.

JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY

Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior.

"Life, what art thou, without love?"

Mil came to us from the North, but we believe she will soon get over it. She has brought a true cosmopolitan air to our campus. "She came, she saw, and she criticized." She impresses everyone in the class room as being a combination of ninety per cent student and ten per cent sheer fudge. Her greatest delight is in arguing with the professors; and we prophesy a brilliant career for her should she become a lawyer.

SENIORS

MABEL FRANCES MORGAN, B.S.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior; Treasurer Junior Class, '24-'25.

"Kind hearts are more to be desired than coronets,

And simple faith than Norman blood."

To contribute to her success, Mabel has an engaging manner, social poise, and a frank friendliness which presage for her the complete fulfillment of her high ambitions. Of all the things that she has done, the most important is the making of a host of friends and admirers. She has always been characterized by her ability to appreciate other opinions than her own. We believe that a great measure of success awaits her.

LOUIS J. COLOMBO, A.B.

ROCKVILLE, CONN.

Chi Alpha Tau; Varsity Football, '22, '23, '24; Trainer of Athletics, '23, '24, '25; Pharos Business Manager; Freshman Initiation Board; Class Treasurer; Class Basketball, '23, '24; Manager Baseball, '23, '24; Track, '23; Commerce Club Treasurer, '24, '25.

"High erected thoughts seated in the heart of courtesy."

A single glance at Louis J's picture will reveal the fact that he does not belong to this age of class materialism. Another glance at the man (in action) confirms the suspicion that he is the strong arm of our Wesleyan. His ardent chivalry and his gallantry towards the weaker sex proves the theory that Louis is a scion of a more aristocratic and romantic era. Too, when it comes to downright good sense in the classroom and to the art of doctoring he can put any man off the map. It won't be Wesleyan without Louis.

SENIORS

DORAN CHARLES WOODS, A.B.

WESTON, WEST VA.

Chi Alpha Tau, Debating Club; Manager Class Basketball, '24; Chresto.

"The memory of us will last, if we have deserved it in our lives."

His cheerfulness and his willingness to cut a class if the "Prof" is two minutes late have won him many friends on the campus. His college days have been spent in laying a solid foundation, which is the cornerstone of his success. It is with much regret that we part with you, Doran. We are sure that Doran will fulfill all expectations, and that life has great things for him.

SARA H. CLIFFORD, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Excelsior; Y. W. C. A.; Girls' Athletic Association.

"I would rather be than seem to be."

As a student, Sara is among the best; as a friend, she is dependable and trustworthy; as a woman, she is admired by all. She possesses not only those characteristics which demand our admiration, but also those which make us frankly like her. One with her high ambitions, powers of application, infinite capacity for taking pains, and insatiable thirst for knowledge can be nothing less than a complete success.

SENIORS

AGNES E. CRABTREE, A.B.

PHILIPPI, WEST VA.

Kappa Phi Omega, Y. W. C. A. President, '25, Social Chairman, '24, '26; P. K. C. President, '24, Haught Club Vice-President, '26; Excelsior President, '26, Secretary, '25; Class Secretary, '24, Social Chairman, '23; Vice-President Student Government, '26; Glee Club.

"It matters not how straight the gate,
How charged with punishment the scroll,
I am master of my fate;
The captain of my soul."

Bri liant intellect, ready wit, pleasing personality and energy combined—that's Agnes. If you are looking for a young lady with such a jovial and kindly disposition that she can chase away the worst kind of blues in the shortest possible time, you can stop right here, for you have found her. It makes you feel good just to stop and talk with Agnes a few minutes. Agnes leaves college with an enviable record behind her, and with that laudable distinction of having faced squarely every obligation by which she was confronted. If you ask wherein Agnes towers above her classmates, we answer you this, "In being the woman that she is."

COY A. THOMAS, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Excelsior Treasurer, '25, Vice-President, '26; Wesleyan Commerce Club; Vice-President, '25; Wesleyan Players.

"He knows that the virtue of success lies in the struggle and not the prize."

Coy was perfectly sane, normal, healthy, and innocent individual until the duties of his Senior Class were thrust upon his unwilling shoulders. Like a weed he grew up over night. Now, he is the most practical business man of the class, an experienced politician, and an enterprising financier as well. The twinkle in his eyes gives him away but Coy is the one man we know who can successfully lend a personal touch to the efforts of others.

SENIORS

FREDERICK P. WEIHL, A.B.

MARIETTA, OHIO

Varsity Football, '23, '24, '25; Varsity Basketball, '24, '25, '26; Varsity Baseball, '24, '25, '26; Excelsior; Varsity Club President, '25.

"Play the game, boys, but play it fair."

Here is our esteemed "Freddy" whose athletics are so varied that it is hard to classify him. He has certainly made himself prominent with his ferocious display of athletic ability of the gridiron. Indeed he has been worth his weight in gold in football, basketball, and baseball. The feeling of fair play and good clean sportsmanship which he inspires among his teammates is hard to express. Weihl has a host of admirers for he is a good sport and a warm hearted, sympathetic friend of the very best type. No matter what he does nor where he goes he is sure to be a success.

VIRGINIA MARIA HOLT, A.B.

GRAFTON, WEST VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior Vice-President, '25; Haught Club.

"Better to be small and shine,
Than to be great and cast a shadow."

So slender is she, and so petite, that you would scarcely believe that one person could contain so much knowledge and wisdom. And some of you, when you gaze upon her bobbed hair might be great disbelievers. But consider well. Virginia may be small in stature and in avoirdupois, but her ambition and determination are by no means little. Not only is she game for anything, but she is good at anything. She is a happy, consistent friend, and at the same time an indispensable worker in Excelsior.

SENIORS

WILLA FAE FERRELL, A.B.

SPENCER, WEST VA.

Christo. Y. W. C. A.; Benzene Ring Secretary '25; Haught Club.

"Those who think must govern those who toil."

It is an easy thing to write good things of Fae for she is an all-around good sport, a true friend, dignified, frank, and generous. Besides her success in the classroom she is well known on the campus. Her college course is slowly drawing to a close and we wish for her a successful future. She has always done much credit, both to the college and to her name in anything in which she was connected.

LEE ROY KING, A.B.

APOLLO, PA.

Varsity Football, '22, '23, '24, '25; Varsity Basketball, '22, '23; Class Basketball, '23, '24, '25; Varsity Baseball, '23, '24, '25, '26; Varsity Club.

"Rare compound of quality, noble and true,
With plenty of sense and good humor, too."

Physical strength, mental ability, integrity, personality—all of a superlative sort are mingled in the person of "Red" King. To depict accurately in words such a character as "Red's" is impossib'e, because there is something in his personality that defies description, and will not be reduced to a formula.

We think of King as primarily, an athlete. In his years here he has given his best on the gridiron. His football career was fittingly crowned and his hard and conscientious work was recognized and rewarded by his teammates when they chose him for their captain. The world expects a lot from a college graduate but we are sure that "Red" will fulfill all expectations, and that his success will be spelled with a capital "S."

SENIORS

EDGAR A. MOATS, B.S.

HARRISVILLE, WEST VA.

Chresto; Benzene Ring President, '26.

"Learning maketh a man fit company for himself."

Edgar is very quiet, but his unassuming exterior hides undreamed of potential abi ity and attractiveness. In the ordinary association of every day life it may seem to take a little while to really know him, but you wi l certainly like him. He is a congenial companion, with a good bit of humor, and all the characteristics of a true friend, scholar, and gentleman.

EDNA MILLER, A.B.

SISTERSVILLE, WEST VA.

Kappa Phi Omega; Excelsior Secretary, '25. Chorister, '25; Y. W. C. A Chorister, '25, Glee Club; Athletic Association; Graduate in Voice

"Of noble mind, serene and kind."

The old proverb, "Still water runs deep," applies here with peculiar aptness. Edna isn't the sort of girl who seeks praise or courts applause; she is just Edna—always glad to lend a helping hand to a fellow in need. The world, of course, wouldn't run so smoothly were it not for those who go about their tasks without complaint. Her musical ability is one to be envied. Having known her for four years as an efficient student, classmate, and friend, we predict for her nothing but the success which she so richly deserves in her chosen line of work.

SENIORS

ELIZABETH McGUFFIE, A.B.

DEEP VALLEY, PA.

Pharos Staff Reporter, '25; Chresto Vice-President, '26; Haught Club; Y. W. C. A.

"She comes to us a seeker of knowledge;
She goes as a lover of duty, an honor to her Alma Mater."

Betty stayed away from us for three long years before she realized her terrible mistake but, being an exceptionally wise young lady, she finally saw that Wesleyan was the desirable place from which to take an A.B., and she made the splendid decision to come here for her senior year. Studious, quiet, and gentle she has won a place in our hearts as few others have. She has been a most desirous member during her one year here.

The world needs such people as you, Betty, and we know you will fill your place well and be a representative woman of Wesleyan.

DENTON M. HAROLD, B.S.

HARRISVILLE, WEST VA.

Debating Team, '22; Murmurmontis Business Manger, '25; Y. M. C. A.; Chresto; Student Council, '24; President Webster Debating Club, '22.

"Life is not so short, but that there is always time for courtesy."

By having ever played, throughout his college career, the role of a gentleman, he has won a place of high esteem in the regard of his classmates and fellow students. He is an excellent student, he has made marks praiseworthy among the professors, and he has saturated himself with the true and loyal spirit of his Alma Mater.

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EDWARD LEWIS BOETTICHER, A.B.

PITTSBURGH, PA.

Alpha Gamma Phi; Wesleyan Players Treasurer, '26; Men's Glee Club Treasurer, '25, Vice-President, '25-'26; Cutshall Literary Vice-President, '26; Manager of Lyceum Course, '25 and '26; Chresto; Y. M. C. A.

"He bears the mien and manner of the student."

It is a man of varied accomplishments that steps from our midst in the person of Ed Boetticher. With other activities consuming his time, Ed has been able to find time to achieve the main purpose of a collegan education. In the classroom, he is a man of great deeds, as is amply evidenced by the fact that he is earning his "dip" in three short years.

MABEL A. KING, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Chresto; Track Team, '24.

"Cheerful people live longer on earth aad live longer in our memories."

Mabel seems demure at a distance, but on closer acquaintance we find that the gods have bestowed on her that priceless possession that they give to few—a sense of humor. At the same time she is dependable, and one of the standbys of '26. Willing to work, capable and energetic, we can always depend on her. She is a fine, true type of girlhood and one of our most conscientious Seniors. Everyone is her friend and she is a friend to all.

SENIORS

VIRGINIA MEARNS, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Chresto; Y. W. C. A.

"None but herself can be her parallel."

Virginia has never created a sensation on the campus but we see her as a quiet and reserved worker. She is patient in everything and aspires to high ideals. When she "hitches her wagon to a star" she "sits" right there and wins in the end. She is industrious and conscientious, but her friends say that when she is with a few "pals" she has a jolly, happy-go-lucky sense of humor. We believe she has a splendid future, and we expect to hear much of her great achievements.

WALTON MARTENEY, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Y. M. C. A.; Cutshall Literary Vice-President, '24; Ministerial Association Vice-President, '25.

"The earnestness of life is the only passport to true satisfaction of life."

To the classroom, Walter, has an astonishing way of dealing out the right answer when the other "sharks" are muddling hopelessly around in the mire of garbled information. This rather enviable characteristic has enabled him to make a splendid record in his studies. Courtesy, kindness and persistence are some of the other outstanding characteristics of this classmate who has labored so diligently for his diploma. We wish him success in his chosen profession.

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EDWARD HALL, B.S.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Chresto, Benzene Ring; Treasurer Chrest, '25.

"It seems the kindliest battles fought, are fought in silent ways."

Courtesy, kindness, sincerity, promptness, and persistence are some of the outstanding characteristics of this classmate who has labored so diligently for his diploma. When we consider that he has met every obligation and duty with a determination to succeed, and by such consistent and untiring effort we can depict for him the greatest of success.

MARY MARPLE, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Excelsior; P. K. C. Haught Literary; Y. W. C. A.

"She's extremely conscientious and when there's work to do, if Mary has a hand in it, she's sure to put it through."

Mary is a girl who is conscientious in all actions, who never makes a hasty decision, and whose integrity of character and purpose can never be doubted. She has made a wonderful success as a student. Her punctuality and energetic way of doing things and meeting obligations, have caused her to set a stride that others should follow. Her friendly nature and ready smile are the surest of safeguards against the breaks which one must encounter in

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EDNA RITA HALL, A.B.
FRAMETOWN, WEST VA.

Chresto; Y. W. C. A.

"Knowledge is the stepping stone to Ideas."

Edna's college career has been a real success. In the classroom she has made a very creditable record; in other activities she has shown unusual interest. Her ever-present smile, her sincerity, and a firm adherence to the greater principles have won for her the friendship and respect of all who have known her. These are all characteristics of a real girl, and naturally, they combine in the making of a personality that is to be coveted.

KENNETH TAYLOR, B.S.
BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Y. M. C. A.; Chresto: Benzene Ring President, '23, Pharos Staff, '23; Class Basketball.

"His future is aglow with possibilities."

Kenneth has maintained a record of note in scholarship since his first appearance on Wesleyan's campus; and, while he seems not to have to study as much as some of us do, he places his average on so high a scholastic pinnacle that few of us ever attain it, even in our fiercest attempts. If, in after years, Kenneth, shows the same natural abi ity in surmounting scholastic obstacles as he has during his career as a student at Wesleyan, we feel confident in predicting for him nothing short of success.

SENIORS

WILMIA PAULINE CASTO, B.S.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

President Girls A. A., '25; Glee Club; Y. W. C. A., Vice-President, '24; Chresto, Vice-President, '25; Hockey Manager, '24; Varsity Hockey, '25; Benzene Ring, Secretary, '24; Corresponding Secretary Chresto, '24; Public School Music, '25; Graduate in Piano, '25.

"A big heart, always wishing to do right and to be friends with everybody."

Pauline, the name by which she is best known, is a jolly good sport. She is always your friend at work or play. Those who know her love her for her sweet disposition and amiable character, and count it a privilege to be numbered among her friends. She is an excellent example of persons who can do two things at one time. She has the highest of ideals and the power to realize them.

MARION PRICE, B.S.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Excelsior; Benzene Ring; Y. W. C. A.; Girls' Athletic Association.

"Cheerful, hopeful, sunny person pays tribute to all concerned."

Her jovial disposition has won her a place in the hearts of all on the campus and her effervescent wit has made for her many friends. She has all the requirements of geniality, sympathy, understanding, and a deep interest in her fellow-men all summed up in a personality seldom found. We will cherish those school ties, Marion, that neither time nor absence will destroy.

JEFFORY MEEK, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Excelsior; Commerce Club; Varsity Football, '22, '23, '24, '25; Class Basketball, '22, '23, '24, '25; Track Team; Varsity Club.

"Sometimes he's late, and again he's later
But to cut a class is his second nature."

Jeff is a sportsman and has a jolly, amiable way that always carries with it qualities that anyone might well envy. None ever saw him down and out, disheartened, or discouraged. He is a football player of no mean ability and this accomplishment has given him confidence, prestige, and power.

JOHN L. TEETS, A.B.

BUCKHANNON, WEST VA.

Tournament Director; Publicity Manager of Athletics.

"The only faith that wears well, and hold its color in all weather, is that which is woven of conviction, and set with the sharp mordant of experience."

"Bugs" is the only unique article in the world that is fully protected without patent rights. A patent on "Bugs" would be like one on his erstwhile and less brilliant contemporary, the sun. In the sphere of college activities, he has shown himself a man of exceptional ability and of marked leadership. We wish and predict for him every success that life has to offer.

Junior Class

Colors: Cerise and Gray

OFFICERS

Casper Kraus
President

Frances Saunders
Vice-President

Eugene Modlin
Secretary

Raymond Fish
Treasurer

Junior Class

Casper C. Kraus

AKRON, OHIO

Chi Alpha Tau; Football, '23, '24, '25; Basketball, '23, '24 (Captain), '25; President Sophomore and Junior Class, '24, '25; Pharos Board of Control; Murmurmontis Staff, '27; Chrestomathean; Varsity Club; Commerce Club.

"A keen mind hiding behind a football reputation."

Frances Saunders

LAKEWOOD, OHIO

Kappa Phi Omega; Orchestra, '23, '24; Girls' Athletic Association, '23, '24, '25; Haught Literary, '25; Treasurer Student Government, '24-'25; Secretary Student Government, '25-'26; Secretary Student Council, '25-'26; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet, '23-'24; President Y. W. C. A., '25-'26; Excelsior; Vice-President Class, '25; '27 Murmurmontis Staff.

"Dignity is the sweetness of woman."

Eugene Modlin

MONONGAHELA, PA.

Captain Tennis Team, '24-'25; Winner 1st and 2nd Annual Singles Tennis Tournament, '24, '25; Vice-President Chresto, '25, Editor Pharos, '25; President Forensic Association, '25-'26; Reporter and Associate Editor Pharos, '24; Vice-President Y. M. C. A., '24-'25, Secretary, '23-'24; Debate Team, '25; Secretary Junior Class, '25-'26.

"He has a heart to resolve, a head to continue, and a hand to execute."

Junior Class

Eugenia Westfall

CHARLESTON, W. VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Secretary Freshman Class, '24-'25; Excelsior; Haught Literary Club; Murmurmontis Staff, '27; Vice-President Student Government, '26.

"There is no instinct like that of the heart."

W. Raymond Fish

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Class Treasurer, '25-'26; Vice-President Commerce Club; Excelsior; Assistant Student Manager Football, '24, '25; Student Council, '26.

"Inspiration and initiative are the gold dust twins that clean up things."

Helen Hilleary

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Excelsior; Y. W. C. A.; Girls' Athletic Association.

"A woman's heart, like the moon, is always changing; but there's always a man in it."

Junior Class

Augustus W. Ritzinger

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Sigma Eta Delta; Chresto; Men's Glee Club, '25; Commerce Club, '25; Y. M. C. A.

"I used to be a good boy, but just look at me now—dernit."

Florence A. Holt

FLEMINGTON, N. J.

Kappa Phi Omega; Excelsior (Reporter, '25; Secretary, '26); Y. W. C. A.; Haught Literary Club; Murmurmontis Staff, '27; Varsity Basketball, '23-'24, '24-'25, '25-'26; Manager, '24-'25; Manager Girls' Tennis Tournament, '24, '25; Sheriff Girls' Tribunal Court, '24; Athletic Board, '24-'25; Secretary and Treasurer, '25-'26; Girls' Glee Club, '26; Varsity Hockey, '23-'24; President Student Government, '26; Orchestra, '26; Class Cheer Leader, '25-'26.

"Leave silence to the saints, I am but human."

John S. McCans

DONORA, PA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Wesleyan Players; Class Basketball, '23-'24; Winner Non-Varsity Singles, '25; Tennis Squad, '25; Social Committee Junior Class; Chresto.

"We are all born for love—it is the principle of existence and its only end."

Junior Class

Natalie Simmerman

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Murmurmontis Staff, '27; Wesleyan Players; Girls' Glee Club, '24, '25, '26; Pharos, '25; Athletic Board, '24, '25, '26; Chresto; Vice-President Y. W. C. A., '26; Vice-President Wesleyan Players; Student Representative Speaking Tour.

"The world delights in sunny people."

James Ayers

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Chresto.

"A ladies' man, now and forever more."

Bessie Lee

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior; Benzene Ring; Secretary Sophomore Class, '25.

"Marks not men have been my aim."

Junior Class

Floyd O. Prunty

PULLMAN, W. VA.

Alpha Gamma Phi; Treasurer Benzene Ring, '25; Chresto; Y. M. C. A.; Football, '24; Track, '24.

"Hail fellow, well met."

Edith Lee White

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Girls' Glee Club, '25; Orchestra, '25; Murmurmontis Staff, '27; Wesleyan Players.

"Sometimes from out her eyes he did receive fair speechless messages."

John W. Haught

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Editor Murmurmontis, '27; Business Manager Student Handbook, '25; President Benzene Ring, '25; Student Council; Secretary Y. M. C. A., '25-'26; Chemistry Assistant; Chresto, Treasurer, '24; Pharos Staff, '24-'25; Tennis Squad.

"Look, he's winding up the watch of his wit; by and by it will strike."

Junior Class

Josephine Crile

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Murmurmontis Staff, '27; Chresto; Y. W. C. A.

"True wit is nature to advantage dress'd,
What oft was thought, but ne'er so well expressed."

Loring R. Williams

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Alpha Gamma Phi; Business Manager Murmurmontis, '27; Vice-President Benzene Ring, '25; Secretary Cutshall Literary Society, '25, '26; Pharos Staff, '24-'25; Orchestra, '24, '25, '26; Men's Glee Club, '26; Chemistry Assistant; Winner Dean Haught Cup, '24; Corresponding Secretary Chresto, '25; Honor Student.

"Character is a perfectly educated will."

Helen Crile

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet; Secretary Freshman Class; Chresto; Pharos Staff, '26.

"Fair tresses man's imperial race ensnare,
And beauty draws us with a single hair."

Junior Class

FRANK HARTMAN

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Chresto; Benzene Ring; Y. M. C. A

"If worry were the only cause of death then he would live forever."

EVELYN POUNDSTONE

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Y. W. C. A; Chresto; Girls' Athletic Association.

"I like work, it fascinates me."

JESSE A. EARL

HUNTINGTON, W. VA.

Ministerial Association; West Virginia Conference; Circuit Pastor.

"Behold the man."

Junior Class

Vivian Trimble

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Y. W. C. A.; Chresto; Varsity Basketball, '24, '25; Captain, '25; Varsity Hockey, '24, '25; Benzene Ring; Intra-Mural Athletic Board, '25; Murmurmontis Staff, '27; Freshman Initiation Board.

"Loyalty is her motto, making friends is easy for her."

Everett Brinkman

WHEELING, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Varsity Football, '23, '24, '25; Varsity Basketball, '24, '25; Varsity Baseball, '23; Varsity Club; Excelsior.

"His one weakness is a blonde woman."

Maggie Trimble

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Y. W. C. A.; Varsity Basketball, '24; Chresto; Benzene Ring; Varsity Hockey, '24.

"My man's as true as steel."

Junior Class

Howard Paul Thomas

WHEELING, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Chresto; Varsity Baseball, '23, '24; Varsity Football, '23, '24, '25; Manager Basketball, '24-'25; Commerce Club; President Varsity Club, '26.

"The man that loves and laughs must sure do well."

Pauline Scribner

BURNLEYS, VA..

Haught Literary Club; Chresto; Y. W. C. A.; Girls' Athletic Association.

"I have learned in whatever state I am, therewith to be content."

William Bishop Young

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Sigma Eta Delta; Chresto; Y. M. C. A.; Band, '23; Class Basketball, '24, '25; Wesleyan Players; Associate Member Commerce Club; Pharos Staff, '23.

"Pa, give me a cent, I want to be tough."

Junior Class

Eugenia Eib

LOST CREEK, W. VA.

Chresto; Y. W. C. A

"I have a heart with room for every joy."

Wilbur M. Skidmore

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Glee Club, '25-'26; Benzene Ring, Vice-President, '25; Chemistry Assistant; Chresto.

"I am my mother's pride and joy, because I am her only boy."

Leah Mearns

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Chresto; Y. W. C. A.; Girls' A. A.

"Still waters run deep."

Junior Class

William Corcoran

MT. VERNON, OHIO

Varsity Football, '23, '24, '25; Varsity Basketball, '23, '24, '25; Varsity Baseball, '23, '24, '25; Varsity Club; Commerce Club.

"Not afraid of work, but rather not to be intimately associated with it."

Ida Amlung

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Benzene Ring.

"Content to do her duty, and find in duty done a full reward."

Junius B. Queen

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Excelsior, Marshal, '26; Commerce Club.

"Happiness is cheaper than worry, so why pay the higher price?"

Junior Class

Ottie C. Mitchell

SPENCER, W. VA.

Secretary-Treasurer Y. M. C. A.; Excelsior; Ministerial Association.

"I've reared a monument alone
More durable than brass or stone;
Whose cloudy summit is more hid
Than regal height of pyramid—"

Lillie Clark Brake

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

"I once was persuaded a venture to make."

Lincoln DeLong

IRONTON, OHIO

Varsity Football, '23, '24, '25; Varsity Baseball, '23, '24, '25; Commerce Club.

"I would not trade my bed for a throne."

Junior Class

Wilbur J. Gamblin

LYNDHURST, N. J.

Glee Club; Benzene Ring; P. K. C.; Wesleyan Players; Chresto; Y. M. C. A.

"My eyes make pictures when they are shut."

Mary Florence Nutt

POINT MARION, PA.

"Where duty calleth she is always found."

D. C. Rardin

GALLIPOLIS, OHIO

Band, '23, '24; Intercollegiate Debating, '24, '25; Excelsior, Chaplain, '25; Glee Club, Vice-President, '24; Ministerial Association, President, '25; Student Campaign, '25; Student Pastor, '25.

"I have no spur
To prick the sides of my intent, but only
Vaulting ambition, which o'erleaps itself
And falls on the other."

Junior Class

Jack Dowell Jennings

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Cutshall Literary Society; Chresto; Murmurmontis Staff, '27; Forensic Association, Secretary, '25.

"The heights of great men reached and kept, were not
Obtained by sudden flight,
But they whi'e their companions slept,
Were toiling in the night."

Gladys Kelley

WESTON, W. VA.

Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior; Benzene Ring, Girls' Athletic Association.

"Paradise is open to all kind hearts."

Benjamin F. Gillum

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Chresto; Commerce Club; Pharos Staff, '25, '26.

"Born for success he seemed."

Junior Class

Thomas D. Heming

DETROIT, MICHIGAN

Alpha Gamma Phi; President Y. M. C. A.; President Cutshall Literary, '24-'25; Chresto; Debating Squad; President Forensic Association, '24-'25; Secretary, '23-'24; Pharos Staff, Associate Editor, '25; Dean Haught Cup; Winifred Anderson Contest, '24; Watt Stewart Cup.

"Love stops at nothing but possession."

Arkie B. Bowyer

COX'S MILLS, W. VA.

Alpha Gamma Phi; Y. M. C. A.; Benzene Ring; Glee Club; Chresto.

"Why, oh why, did the gods bless a boy with such wonderful natural waves."

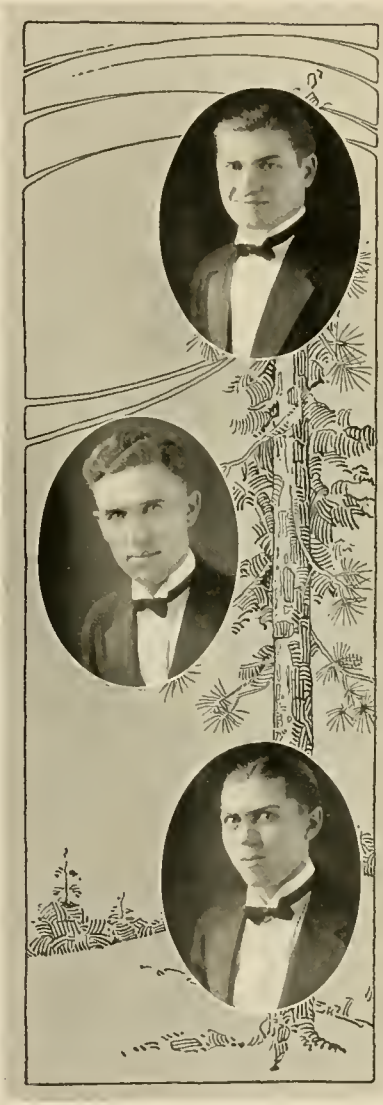
Francis A. Mercer

MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA.

Student Pastor; Ministerial Association, President, '25-'26; Y. M. C. A.; Chapel Choir; Glee Club; Chresto.

"The nature of man is greater than nature's need."

Junior Class



FLOYD SHAVER

MONONGAHELA, PA.

Student Council; Chresto; Cutshall, Pharos; Debate Squad; Y. M. C. A.; Reserve Football Team, '24.

"Ladies, it is useless to sigh over me."

JAMES L. HORNBECK

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Chresto; Debate Squad.

"Stern men with empires in their brains."

ARNOLD S. CHATFIELD

PEACH CREEK, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Benzene Ring; Excelsior; Y. M. C. A.

"Tickle me, love, in these lonesome ribs."

Junior Class

NEWTON G. MICHAEL

FAIRVIEW, W. VA.

Alpha Gamma Phi.

"When duty and pleasure conflict, let your conscience be your guide."

FRANK CURRY

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Chresto; President Freshman Class.

"To say little and perform much shows the characteristics of a great man."

JOHN HENSELL WHITE

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Benzene Ring; Excelsior; Y. M. C. A.

"Quiet, reserved, a thinker—not a talker."

Junior Class

JEAN CORK

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

"If my heart were not light I would die."

TRUMAN J. LYNCH

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Excelsior, Glee Club, Class President, '25.

"Studies and worries were made for someone else—not me."

JOHN O. LITTLE

PETERSBURG, PA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Wesleyan Players.

"What do you think of me."

V. C. CUTRIGHT

CHARLESTON, W. VA.

"Silence has many advantages."

Sophomore Class

Colors: Gold and Purple

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President

FRED HAUGHT, GILBERT DUDDERAR
Vice-Presidents

HELEN PINNEY
Secretary

RUTH BREWSTER
CHARLES ATKINSON
Treasurers

Sophomore Class

Arthur H. Simons

DETROIT, MICHIGAN

Alpha Gamma Phi; President Freshman Class; President Sophomore Class; Benzene Ring; Student Council; Cut-hall Literary Society; Manager Service Stand; Assistant Business Manager Pharos; Glee Club; Chairman Intra-Mural Sports.

Fred Haught

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Chresto; Tennis Team, '25; Alumni Editor Pharos, '25; Vice-President Benzene Ring, '26; Vice-President Class, '25.

Gilbert Dudderar

PARKERSBURG, W. VA.

Alpha Gamma Phi; Varsity Tennis; Mixed Double Champion; Second Vice-President Sophomore Class.

Helen May Pinney

CHARLESTON, W. VA.

Advertising Manager Excelsior, '25-'26; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet, '26; Benzene Ring; Class Secretary, '26; Chemistry Assistant, '26.

Ruth Brewster

WESTON, W. VA.

Kappa Phi Omega; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet; Executive Board.

Charles Atkinson

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Glee Club.

Sophomore Class

RAYMOND WEBER

WESTON, W. VA.

Sigma Eta Delta; Candidate Manager Basketball, '25-'26; Excelsior.

VIRGINIA CAUDY

WESTON, W. VA.

Kappa Phi Omega; Basketball, '25; Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior; Athletic Board, '24-'25; Treasurer Class, '24.

SMITH WARD

VOLGA, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Benzene Ring; Excelsior.

MARTHA McINTIRE

PARKERSBURG, W. VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Y. W. C. A.; Chresto.

ROBERT HALL

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Excelsior.

BERNICE ARNETT

FAIRMONT, W. VA.

Kappa Phi Omega; Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior; Assistant Cheerleader, '24-'25; Girls' Athletic Board; Intra-Mural Athletic Board, '25; Basketball, '25; Winner Mixed Doubles, '25; Freshman Initiation Board, '25; Sheriff Girls' Court, '25; Hockey, '25.

Sophomore Class

WALTER PURDY

MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Basketball, '24. '25.

GRACE VANCAMP

NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Standard Normal, Y. W. C. A.; Chresto; Girls' Basketball, '25; Lead in "Three Wise Fools."

THOMAS A. JONES

EAST BANK, W. VA.

Alpha Gamma Phi; Candidate Manager Football; Freshman Initiation Board; Wesleyan Players; Lead in "Three Wise Fools."

KATHRYN FULTZ

WESTON, W. VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Y. W. C. A.; Glee Club; Chresto.

WILBUR REITER

DAYTON, OHIO

Chi Alpha Tau; Varsity Football, '24-'25; Varsity Basketball, '25-'26; Varsity Baseball, '25; Varsity Club.

ELIZABETH STAFFORD

GRAFTON, W. VA.

Sigma Delta Chi; Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior; Haught Literary.

Sophomore Class

CLARENCE C. KNAPP

VALLEY BEND, W. VA.

Excelsior; Glee Club, '25; Ministerial Association; Student Pastor, '25-'26.

MARGARET KIDDY

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Standard Normal; Commerce Club; Y. W. C. A.; Chresto.

WILLIAM UNDERWOOD

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Chresto.

IRETA BARNES

NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. VA.

Standard Normal; P. K. C.; Y. W. C. A.

CHARLES J. EIB

BELINGTON, W. VA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Commerce Club; Excelsior; Vice-President Y. M. C. A., '25.

MARY ELLEN DORSEY

MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA.

Kappa Phi Omega; Basketball, '25; Forensic Association, '24-'25; Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior.

Sophomore Class

J. Elmer Hillhouse

CUMBERLAND, MISS.

Excelsior; Glee Club, '24-'25; Benzene Ring.

Eleanor Reppert

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Kappa Phi Omega; Chresto; Secretary Haught Literary Club, '25.

Frank B. Hutchinson

JUNIOR, W. VA.

Pharos Staff; Alpha Gamma Phi; Inter-Collegiate Debate, '24-'25; Commerce Club; Freshman Football, '24; Cutshall Literary; Lead in "Three Wise Fools."

Dessie Duncan Grimm

ADRIAN, W. VA.

Phares Reeder

BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Forensic Association.

Marie Dransfield

GAP MILLS, W. VA.

Y. W. C. A.; Secretary Chresto, '26.

Sophomore Class

PAUL WONNBERGER
PHILADELPHIA, PA.
Sigma Eta Delta; Accompanist Glee Club.

VIRGINIA BALLARD
WESTON, W. VA.
Sigma Delta Chi; Chresto; Glee Club; Y. W. C. A.

THEODORE TENNEY
TEN MILE, W. VA.

VERA PARRISH
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.
Sigma Delta Chi; Chresto; Y. W. C. A.; Glee Club.

CARL H. NELSON
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.
Alpha Gamma Phi; Chresto.

MARY N. WAUGH
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Sigma Delta Chi; Chresto.

Sophomore Class

MARTIN C. STAUFFER
ATGLEN, PA.

Chi Alpha Tau; Cutshall Literary.

EDITH HALL
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Excelsior.

RALPH M. FISHER
WESTON, W. VA.

Sigma Eta Delta; Chresto; Assistant Football Manager, '25; Assistant Baseball Manager, '25.

CHRISTINE MAXWELL
LOST CREEK, W. VA.

Kappa Phi Omega; Y. W. C. A.

J. LEROY BAILEY
PASSAIC, N. J.

Alpha Gamma Phi; Honor Student, '24-'25; Business Manager Glee Club, '25-'26; Cutshall Literary; Pianist Chresto, '25; Reporter Pharos, '25-'26.

MARION CANAN
LOST CREEK, W. VA.

Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior; Glee Club.

Sophomore Class

JOHN RAMUS HOLTZ
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Glee Club; Chresto; Commerce Club.

JULIA MARSHALL
CLAYSVILLE, PA.
Kappa Phi Omega; Y. W. C. A.

DAVID F. GROVES
DEEPWELL, W. VA.
Alpha Gamma Phi; Winner Chresto Oratorical Cup, '25; Pharos Staff, '25; Chresto; Glee Club, '25; Cutshall Literary; Commerce Club.

THELMA WENDT
CAMERON, W. VA.
Excelsior; Y. W. C. A.

LEMUEL S. COOKMAN
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Sigma Eta Delta; Chresto.

JESSIE LUCILLE DUNNINGTON
WESTON, W. VA.
Kappa Phi Omega; Excelsior; Y. W. C. A.

Sophomore Class

ROBERT DARNALL
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Excelsior; Glee Club; Y. M. C. A.

HELEN LACOCK
WEST FINLEY, PA.
Kappa Phi Omega; Excelsior.

JACOB REED
CLAY, W. VA.

MARY GIBSON
KINGWOOD, W. VA.
Chairman Excelsior Program Committee; Y. W. C. A.

STRAUDA CUTRIGHT
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

BLANCHE FOREMAN
PROCIOUS, W. VA.
Y. W. C. A.; Excelsior.

Sophomore Class

FRANK WELLON
PORT GERVIS, N. Y.
Alpha Gamma Phi.

MERIAM ROWLAND
ADRIAN, W. VA.
Standard Normal.

BURL YOUNG
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Football, '25

ANNIS ROSS
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Y. W. C. A.; Chresto; Basketball, '24.

GEORGE LAZENBY
SOUTH CHARLESTON, W. VA.
Benzene Ring; P. K. C.; Chresto.

MYRTLE GOULD
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Standard Normal.

Sophomore Class

BLANCHE ROBINSON
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.
Girls' Glee Club; Excelsior.

MARY KYLE
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.
Standard Normal; Excelsior; Y. W. C. A.

EDNA CORDER
ELKINS, W. VA.

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President P. K. C., '25-'26; Treasurer Haught Literary, '26; Excelsior Reporter, '26; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet, '25-'26; Pharos Staff, '25-'26.

HARRIETTE WEST
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Excelsior; Y. W. C. A.

MARY SMITH
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Standard Normal.

Sophomore Class

FRANK SIGAFOOSE
MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA.
Chi Alpha Tau; Benzene Ring.

ETHEL CUSTER
GRAFTON, W. VA.

REVA REED
GOOD HOPE, W. VA.
Excelsior; Y. W. C. A.

MAIDGE SMITH
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

MILDRED SHUNK
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Kappa Phi Omega; Excelsior.

EDITH CAIN
ELLENBORO, W. VA.
Chresto; Pharos Staff, '25.

Sophomore Class

PAUL KEMERER
DUQUESNE, PA.
Football, '24, '25; Varsity Club.

LAURA MAULSBY
GEM, W. VA.

ORTON KARICKHOFF
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Commerce Club; Chresto.

EVELYN CHARLTON
MANNINGTON, W. VA.
Kappa Phi Omega; Excelsior; Y. W. C. A.

RUTH CHARLTON
MANNINGTON, W. VA.
Kappa Phi Omega; Excelsior; Y. W. C. A.

EVAN GRIFFITH
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Sophomore Class

Ralph Alvis
SCABRING, OHIO

Dan Weiss
FLINT, MICHIGAN

Lowellita Darnall
FRENCH CREEK, W. VA.

Marie Gorby
WESTON, W. VA.

Ruby Young
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Louise Noble
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Andrew Holt
WESTON, W. VA.

Freshman Class

OFFICERS

HAYWARD HAMRICK . . . . . *President*
WILLIAM FOSTER . . . . . *Vice-President*
DOROTHY WITHERS . . . . . *Secretary*
FRED CAMP . . . . . *Treasurer*
ELIZABETH BURTON . . . . *Social Chairman*

Freshman Class

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Buckhannon High School

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Buckhannon High School

WILLIAM FOSTER
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

WINIFRED MESSENGER
BRIDGEPORT, W. VA.
Bridgeport Union High School

MAYFORD CAMP
RAVENSWOOD, W. VA.
Ravenswood High School

ELIZABETH BURTON
SPRINGFIELD, N. J.
Roselle Park High School

JAMES FERRY
WESTON, W. VA.
Weston High School

MARGARET BROOKS FERRY
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

MARK ENGLEKA
CONNELSVILLE, PA.

MARGARET SHARFENEKER
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Freshman Class

MAXWELL SMITH
WESTON, W. VA.
Weston High School

MARY WATSON
JANE LEW, W. VA.

GEORGE SHORT
SHINNSTON, W. VA.

NINA KELLY
TERRA ALTA, W. VA.
Terra Alta High School

CLYDE BACKUS
GAD, W. VA.

MILDRED STAFFORD
GRAFTON, W. VA.
Grafton High School

ANDREW C. SHAVER
EAST BANK, W. VA.
East Bank High School

VIRGINIA SNODGRASS
NORTON, VA.

JAMES LOWTHER
LOST CREEK, W. VA.
Lost Creek High School

CAROLINE DUDDERAR
PARKERSBURG, W. VA.

Freshman Class

HARRY HYMES
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

GAY ARNETT
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

JOHN CLEMENT MOTT
DAVIS, W. VA.
Davis High School

MARY HAMILTON
WESTON, W. VA.

LYLE MURPHY
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.
Victory High School

DORA NEWLON
SUTTON, W. VA.

WALTER MAGERS
MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA.
Moundsville High School

GRACE BUNTEN
CRAWFORD, W. VA.
Walkersville High School

ORVAL MCCRAY
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

ELIZABETH HOOKER
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

Freshman Class

PAUL GIVEN
DUNDON, W. VA.

MARY FITZGERALD
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

OMER YOUNG
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

EVELYN HENWOOD
PASSAIC, N. J.

ROY NUTTER
RICHWOOD, W. VA.
Richwood High School

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Hundred High School

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ROANOKE, VA.

ESTHER MURRAY
GRAFTON, W. VA.
Grafton High School

OSCAR JOHNSON
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

ELIZABETH TALBOTT
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

Freshman Class

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LOST CREEK, W. VA.
Lost Creek High School

FREDA MINTER
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.
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BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
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Clay County High School

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BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

IRA MCDOWELL
DAVIS, W. VA.
Davis High School

GERTRUDE YOUNG
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

ALLEN BROWN
MONONGAHELA, PA.

MARTHA BLAKESLEE
BELINGTON, W. VA.

Freshman Class

LAWRENCE BROOKE
LUMBERPORT, W. VA.
Lumberport High School

VIRGINIA MARTENEY
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

HAROLD HOWARD
MIDDLEBOURNE, W. VA.
Middlebourne High School

ELIZABETH MCWHORTER
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

EDGAR CHRISTOPHER
WAVERLY, W. VA.

DOROTHY ALLEN
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.
Washington and Irving High School

DUKE A. DENT
CHARLESTON, W. VA.

MARGUERITE SINGLETON
MANNINGTON, W. VA.
Mannington High School

HAROLD ROBINSON
ELIZABETH, W. VA.

ELIZABETH MCGLOTHLIN
RAVENSWOOD, W. VA.
Ravenswood High School

Freshman Class

KENNETH SHAVER
MONONGAHELA, PA.
Monongahela High School

MARY MORRISON
SUTTON, W. VA.
Sutton High School

ENOCH LATHAM
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

FRANKIE WOLFE
MORGANTOWN, W. VA.

MANLEY HOWARD
CHARLESTON, W. VA.
Charleston High School

EVA SWISHER
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

ANDREW WOOFTER
WESTON, W. VA.
Weston High School

GLADYS CALDWELL
PLUS, W. VA.
Malden District High School

LLOYD DAVIS
MARIETTA, OHIO
Marietta High School

MILDRED METHENY
GASSAWAY, W. VA.
Gassaway High School

Freshman Class

LLOYD YOUNG
LOST CREEK, W. VA.
Lost Creek High School

MAXINE THACKER
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

FARLAND ARNOLD
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

ELIZABETH HULL
PICKENS, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

OVID DUNCAN
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

MARY SHACKLEFORD
NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. VA.
New Martinsville High School

LOUIE KOLOPUS
ELYRIA, OHIO
Elyria High School

FLO ELIZABETH PETERSON
WESTON, W. VA.
Weston High School

WILLARD PHILLIPS
WHEELING, W. VA.
Wheeling High School

PAULINE SHEETS
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

Freshman Class

PAUL LOSH
WESTON, W. VA.
Weston High School

MARTHA LAWSON
BRIDGEPORT, W. VA.
Bridgeport High School

STERLING WOLFE
MORGANTOWN, W. VA.
Charleston High School

VELMA ROTH
PHILADELPHIA, PA.

BRODA RADER
HOMINY FALLS, W. VA.

PAUL TRIMPEY
SOMERSET, PA.

DONALD FULTON
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.
Washington Irving High School

BROOKS STARCHER
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

EDWARD ELLISON
BECKLEY, W. VA.
Beckley High School

JOHN ELKINS
LOGAN, W. VA.
Logan High School

Freshman Class

JULIUS B. BULLINGTON
CHARLESTON, W. VA.
Charleston High School

RUTH CRABTREE
PHILIPPI, W. VA.
Philippi High School

MEARL ATKINS
MANNINGTON, W. VA.
Mannington High School

HAZEL REPPERT
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

EDWARD ROBERTS
MOUNT HOPE, W. VA.
Mount Hope High School

BERNICE MARPLE
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.
Buckhannon High School

THORN LINGER
WESTON, W. VA.
Weston High School

Freshman Class

Pauline Bender
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Virginia Cutright
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Alice Ferguson
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Loretta Jones
MOUNT HOPE, W. VA.

Lulu Mitchell
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Anna Lee Tallman
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Thelma West
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Margaret White
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Mabel Whitescarver
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Ethel Wolfe
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Noah Anderson
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Leroy Bachtel
KENMORE, OHIO

Louis Sturbois
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

LaMar Bond
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

James Gaylord
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Junior Gaston
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

William Hicks
MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA.

Jacob Hyer
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Edward McClung
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

Harold Moore
GRAFTON, W. VA.

Karl Priester
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Wayne Reger
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Marion Sanders
IRONTON, OHIO

Justin Westfall
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Deck Whitescarver
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

Richard Young
BUCKHANNON, W. VA.

George Post
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

John Lichtenfeld
CENTRALIA, ILL.

Howard McCormick
CONNELSVILLE, PA.

VERA PARRISH

Graduating in Voice
Graduating in Piano
Certificate of Public School Music

KATHRYN FULTZ

Graduating in Voice
Certificate of Public School Music

VIRGINIA BALLARD

Graduating in Voice
Certificate of Public School Music

PAULINE CASTO

Graduating in Voice

PAUL WONNBERGER

Graduating in Piano

EDNA MILLER

Graduating in Voice

OLIVE GALL

Graduating in Art

JEAN LEE LATHAM

Graduating in Expression

ORGANIZATIONS

There was the door to which I found no Key,
There was the Veil through which I could not see;
Some little talk a while of Me and Thee
There was—and then no more of Thee and Me.

—*Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam.*

BOOK THREE

Y. W. C. A.

The Y. W. C. A. supplies, in a large measure, the spiritual side of the girl's life while at Wesleyan. It gives an opportunity for many girls to gather once a week and discuss among themselves topics of national and universal interest. The past year has been very successful, financial drives have had fine results and this organization hopes to have just as successful a future.

Officers

Frances Saunders . . . . . *President*	Esther Sigafoose . . . . . *Secretary*
Natalie Simmerman . . . *Vice-President*	Beatrice VanDevender . . . . *Treasurer*

Chairmen of Committees

Helen Crile . . . . . *Program*	Agnes Crabtree . . . . . *Social*
Lorene Westfall . . . *Students' Meeting*	Helen Pinney . . . . . *Publicity*
Ruth Brewster . . . . . *U. R.*	Mary Swisher . . . *Summer Conference*
Elizabeth Thompson . *World Fellowship*	Hazel Cline . . . . . *Social Service*

The Young Men's Christian Association endeavors to develop higher spiritual ideals and a better and more lasting fellowship among the students. The friendships are more firmly established by having the mid-week meeting which is held on Thursday evening of each week.

It is the desire of every loyal member to further this friendly attitude, and sincerely make the Association the most helpful and outstanding organization in the lives of the students in Wesleyan.

Officers

Leslie Tennant . . . . . *President*
Charles Eib . . . . . *Vice-President*
John Haught . . . . . *Secretary*
Ira McDowell . . . . . *Treasurer*

Y. M. C. A. Lyceum Course

EDWARD L. BOETTICHER, *Manager*

For several years the Lyceum Course has been improving very rapidly. This year has been the most successful Lyceum year in Wesleyan. Drastic improvements have been accomplished and it is certain that the foundation laid by the manager of this year's course will mean a decided change in the type of programs, and will be of great benefit to Wesleyan.

PROGRAM FOR 1925-26

ADA WARD	*October 28*
FENWICK NEWELL	*November 9*
LEAKE ORCHESTRA	*November 20*
DEMARCO HARP ENSEMBLE	*January 21*
DINSMORE UPTON	*February 5*
DR. J. FRANKLIN BABB	*March 11*
PATTON BROTHERS	*April 19*
ROY CHAPMAN ANDREWS	... ...

Student Council

THE Student Representative Council was organized in the year 1922-23. During the four years of its existence the Council, with the co-operation of the faculty and student body, has achieved success.

In the fall of '23 an honor system was adopted and this year a committee has been working on a revision of the honor system to make it more efficient.

Last year a service stand was introduced for the selling of confections and the profits to be used in interest of the student body. This year the money was spent to send a delegate to the Inter-Collegiate World Court Conference and also for sending flowers to members of the student body in case of illness or death.

Members of the Council working with the faculty have revised the Freshman rules which will more completely meet with the satisfaction of the student body. They have also made for the second year the publication of the Wesleyan hand book.

Although the Council here-to-fore has transacted merely business for the student body, they have laid a strong foundation for future participation in more difficult problems.

Nicholas Raschella, *Senior*	*President of the Student Body*
Clyde Swiger, *Senior*	*Vice-President*
Frances Saunders, *Junior*	*Secretary*
Lorene Westfall	*Senior Representative*
William O'Brien	*Senior Representative*
John Haught	*Junior Representative*
Raymond Fish	*Junior Representative*
Frank Hutchinson	*Sophomore Representative*
Arthur Simons	*Sophomore Representative*
Winifred Messenger	*Freshman Representative*

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P

Wesleyan Players

IN 1922, twelve members of the cast of "The Piper," organized the Wesleyan Players. Since that time the membership has grown, and much worth-while work has been done. Under the direction of Miss Little various plays have been presented with no little degree of success. New equipment and a procenium drop have been purchased by the Players.

At the meetings, which are held every other week, a modern play is reviewed and discussed, reports and criticisms are given also. It is the purpose of the club to promote dramatics at Wesleyan.

The membership is of two kinds, active and honorary.

The requirements for membership are: Recommendation by the director; a creditable performance in two plays under the direction of a player; duty of stage director or when a student has written a one-act play which has been performed under the direction of a player.

Officers

Seward Reese	*President*
Natalie Simmerman	*Vice-President*
Alice McWhorter	*Secretary*
Edward Boetticher	*Treasurer*
William T. O'Brien	*Business Manager*
Wilbur J. Gamblin	*Stage Manager*
Percy Ross	*Reporter*

Active Members

Nicholas Raschella	William Young	John O. Little
Seward Reese	Besse Fitzgerald	Ruth J. Flanagan
Beatrice VanDevender	Willa Latham	Percy Ross
Mary E. McWhorter	Elizabeth Talbott	Fred Camp
Natalie Simmerman	Bruce Reppert	Hazel Cline
Clyde Swiger	William O'Brien	Addie Scribner
Edward Boetticher	Alice McWhorter	John McCans
Gayzelle Rusk	Wilbur J. Gamblin	Coy Thomas
John Moore	Thomas Jones	Edith White

Honorary Members

Miss Alice Nason — Dr. Lewis H. Chrisman
Miss Lois McCloskey — Prof. Zeno LeTellier
Miss Christine McWhorter

Kappa Lambda Sigma

The Kappa Lambda Sigma fraternity, formerly known as Cutshall Literary Society, was reorganized into an Honorary Fraternity. Candidates for membership to this fraternity are selected from the male students of Wesleyan college, having a high scholastic standing.

Great forward strides have been made along literary lines and the addition of this fraternity is of great value in promoting scholarship.

Officers

First Semester		*Second Semester*
Raymond C. Shaw	*President*	Edward Boetticher
Edward Boetticher	*First Vice-President*	John McGraw
Leroy Bailey	*Second Vice-President*	Dowell Jennings
Leslie Tennant	*Third Vice-President*	Walton Marteney
Arthur Simmons	*Fourth Vice-President*	Loring Williams
Loring Williams	*Secretary*	Frank Hutchinson
Floyd Shaver	*Treasurer*	David Groves
Professor Nicholas Hyma	*Faculty Adviser*	Dr. L. H. Chrisman
Raymond Shaw	*Chaplain*	Raymond Shaw
Arkie Bowyer	*Sergeant-at-Arms*	Arkie Bowyer

Members

Paul Trimpey — Darrell Rardin — Martin C. Stauffer
Clyde Swiger — Thomas D. Heming — Floyd Prunty

Honorary Members

Dr. L. H. Chrisman — Dr. R. E. Leubbers — Dean Thomas Haught
Ross Bonar

Pledges

Carl Nelson — Allen J. Brown — John C. Mott
Gilbert M. Dudderar

Haught Literary Club

The Haught Literary Club was organized as a medium through which Wesleyan women can be recognized for literary attainment and by which their intellectual interests may be cultivated and promoted. The highest standards in strictly literary pursuits are sponsored and an attempt is made to formulate and direct the literary judgment of its members. Its membership is limited to sixteen active members.

The program of the club is not to formalize the proceedings of its meetings, but by meeting the current and overgrowing varied literary trend through readings and reviews of the drama, poetry, fiction and non-fiction, and by an increased acquaintance with the accepted classics, to create a literary appreciation that shall be permanently enjoyable and beneficial.

Officers

Lorene Westfall . . . . . *President*
Mary Elizabeth Jackson . . . . . *Vice-President*
Agnes Crabtree . . . . . *Vice-President, Second Semester*
Eleanor Reppert . . . . . *Secretary*
Elizabeth Thompson . . . . . *Treasurer*

Members

Pauline Scribner
Florence Holt
Frances Saunders
Fae Farrel
Virginia Holt
Virginia Caudy
Beatrice VanDevender
Elizabeth McGuffie
Elizabeth Stafford
Martha Brooks
Eugenia Westfall
Irene Foltz

Excelsior

The friends of Excelsior Literary Society will be glad to hear that Excelsior continues to hold its place as one of the leading literary organizations in Wesleyan.

The programs that have been presented by the society this year have all been of the highest type.

"Excelsior Hall" holds pleasant memories which students can never forget in later life.

Officers

First Semester		*Second Semester*
William O'Brien	*President*	Agnes Crabtree
Virginia Holt	*Vice-President*	Coy Thomas
Agnes Crabtree	*Secretary*	Florence Holt
Coy Thomas	*Treasurer*	Truman Lynch, Jr.
Gilbert Dudderar	*Marshal*	Junius Queen
Edna Miller	*Chorister*	Virginia Smith
Ethel Custer	*Pianist*	Mary Shackleford
Kenneth Shaver	*Chaplain*	Kenneth Shaver
Florence Holt	*Reporter*	Elizabeth Thompson
Helen Pinney	*Advertising Manager*	Helen Pinney

Chrestomathean

The Chrestomathean Literary Society ranks as one of the oldest organizations in the school. The society has for its purpose the furthering of literary accomplishments and is worthy of its motto:

Virtute et Labore.

Officers

First Semester		*Second Semester*
Clyde Swiger	*President*	Justus Deahl
Pauline Casto	*Vice-President*	Elizabeth McGuffie
Esther Sigafoose	*Recording Secretary*	Marie Dransfield
Edward Hall	*Treasurer*	Clement Mott
Arkie Bowyer	*Marshal*	Elizabeth Hull
Leroy Bailey	*Pianist*	Velma Roth
Frank Wellon	*Chorister*	Farland Arnold
Loring Williams	*Corresponding Secretary*	Marie Dransfield
Eugene Modlin	*Chaplain*	Paul Trimpey

Benzene Ring

The Benzene Ring was organized in 1920 with the purpose of promoting interest in the physical sciences. During the six years since it was organized it has grown in purpose, size and work.

For several years the Ring has taken an industrial trip in the spring to Clarksburg or some other point of interest. This spring most of the members went to Weston and spent a half day in the glass plant there. Another trip is being planned for later in the spring. These trips are always interesting and much of practical worth is learned by those who take them.

A new departore was made this year in the program of the Ring. An open meeting was held in the College auditorium and all students and towns people who were interested were invited. Many chemical and physical phenomena were illustrated and explained. The meeting was both humorous and instructive.

Following a custom started some years ago the Benzene Ring invited a scientist from some other part of the state to speak to them. Dr. Clark, head of the Department of Chemistry at W. V. U. was chosen and he spoke on the subject of "The Future of Chemistry in West Virginia."

There is so much interest in the Ring at present that an even brighter future is predicted for it.

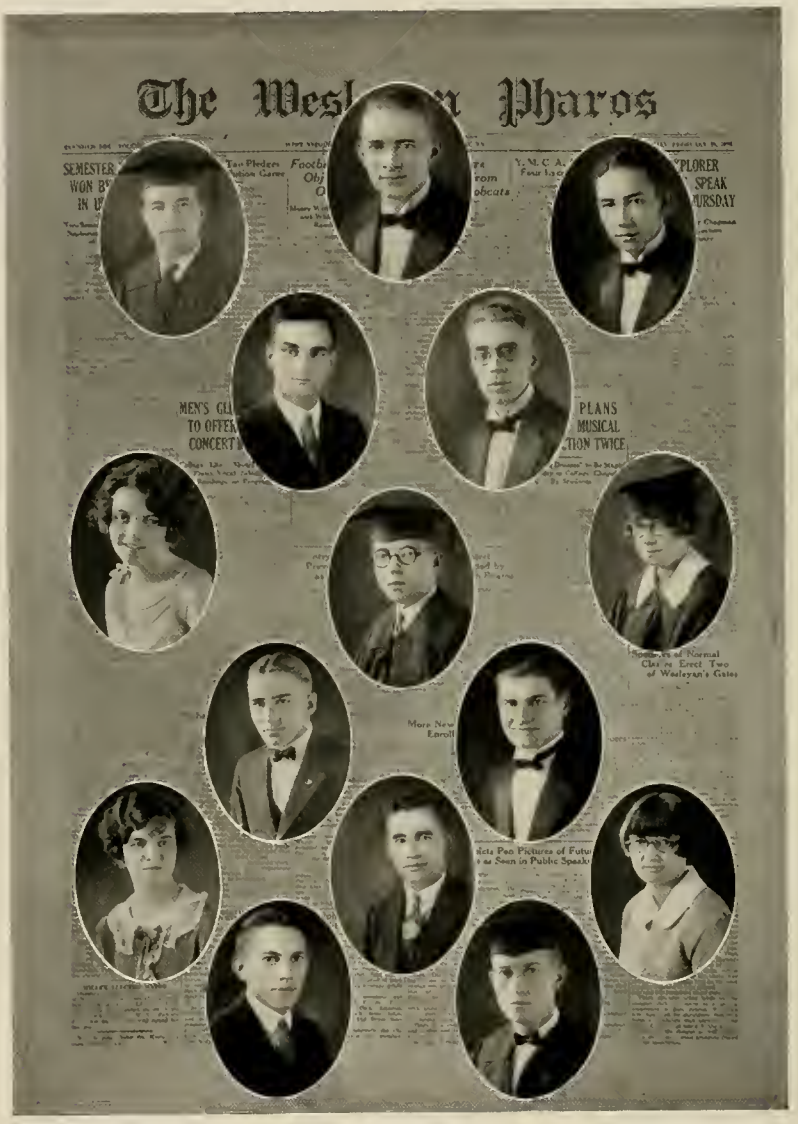
Too much cannot be said of the help that Professor Hyma has given to the Ring. He has taken an active interest since its organization and we feel that the growth and success of the Benzene Ring have been largely due to his efforts for its improvement.

Officers

First Semester		*Second Semester*
John Haught	*President*	Edgar Moats
Loring Williams	*Vice-President*	Fred Haught
Fae Ferrel	*Secretary*	Vivian Trimble
Floyd Prunty	*Treasurer*	Mary Swisher

Members

John McGraw
Arnold Chatfield
Wilbur Gamblin
Floyd Prunty
Mary Swisher
Arkie Bowyer
Fae Ferrel
Bruce Ruppert
Maggie Trimble
Vivian Trimble
Loring Williams
Virginia Rohrbaugh
Smith Ward
Frank Sigafoose
Harriette West
J. Elmer Hillhouse
George Lazenby
Edward Hall
Olive Gall
Bessie Lee
Helen Pinney
Wilbur Skidmore
Hensell White
Hazel Cline
Pauline Casto
Fred Haught
Kenneth Taylor
Frank Hartman
Edgar Moats
Arthur Simons

John Haught

The Wesl n Pharos
PLANS
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TION TWICE

The Wesleyan Pharos

THE Pharos Staff has tried to perfect a system of recording news events of Wesleyan's campus. Taking over the news-gathering system of last year has made this year's work easier.

The change in style of the paper adopted by the staff in the middle of the year meant an increase in news space which made it possible to chronicle all news events of any note.

The interest of the staff has been high. Six delegates represented Wesleyan at the annual Intercollegiate Press Association meeting held at Broaddus College, two of which received state offices.

The Business department has put the organizatioo on a sound financial basis. Besides the new plan of collecting subscriptions from each student at the time he pays his tuition, a large Alumni circulation was built up. A deficit was wiped out, and a neat sum left in the treasury for the next year's staff.

Editorial Staff

Eugene Moolin . . . . . *Editor-in-Chief*
Thomas D. Heming . . . . . *Associate Editor*
Raymond C. Shaw . . . . . *Managing Editor*
John L. Teets . . . . . *Athletic Editor*
Freo Haught . . . . . *Alumni Editor*
Bruce Reppert, *Exchange Editor*

Reporters

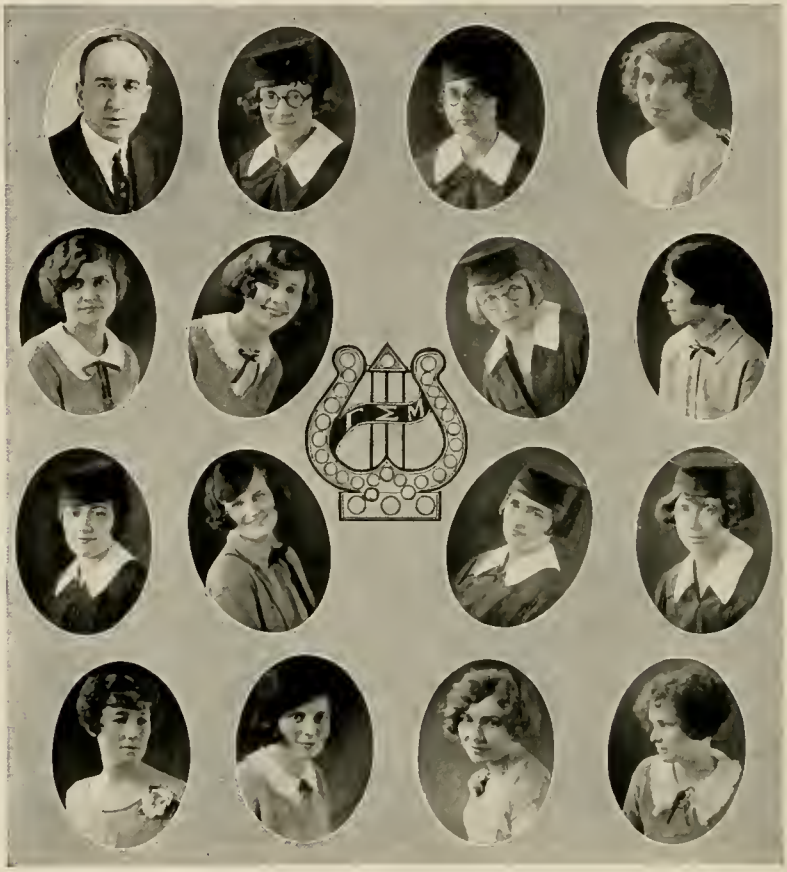
Elizabeth Thompson — LeRoy Bailey
Elizabeth McGuffie — Helen Crile
Dorothy Withers

Business Staff

Louis Colombo . . . . . *Business Manager*
Arthur Simons . . . . . *Assistant Business Manager*
Benjamin F. Gillum . . . . . *Circulation Manager*
Floyd Shaver . . . . . *First Assistant Circulation Manager*
David Groves . . . . . *Second Assistant Circulation Manager*
Frank Hutchinson . . . . . *Third Assistant Circulation Manager*

Board of Control

Professor Ruth Raw, *Chairman*

Dr. L. H. Crisman — Dr. R. E. Laubbers
Prof. Ralph C. Brown — Ross Bonar
Casper Kraus — Frank Jack
Louis Colombo — Eugene Moolin

Girls' Glee Club

FRANK E. MUZZY, *Director*

OFFICERS

VIRGINIA SMITH . . . . . *President*
VERA PARRISH . . . . . *Secretary and Treasurer*
ESTHER SIGALOOSE . . . . . *Business Manager*

MEMBERS

VIRGINIA BALLARD
KATHRYN FULTZ
MARGUERITE SINGLETON
MARION CANAN
EDNA MILLER
BLANCHE ROBINSON
LOUISE THOMAS
PAULINE CASTO
NATALIE SIMMERMAN
FLORENCE HOLT
EDITH WHITE
AGNES CRABTREE

Men's Glee Club

This has been an unusually active year for the Men's Glee Club.

During the Thanksgiving recess, the Club entertained at Gassaway, Sutton, Montgomery, Mount Hope, Beckley, St. Albans, and Charleston, W. Va. Another trip covering the first week in February included Wheeling, Moundsville and Middlebourne, W. Va., and two engagements at Akron, Ohio.

To Professor Edgar Sorton, who accompanied the Club as violin soloist, much gratitude is due. Likewise, the able direction of Professor Camp W. Foltz has developed the club to no small degree.

During the year, representation in the newly organized Southern Association of Glee Clubs, comprising the membership of all State Glee Club Associations in specified southern territory, has been secured.

Camp W. Foltz	*Director*
Edward Foeltticher	*President*
Howard Collins	*Vice-President*
Robert Darnall	*Secretary*
Arkie Bowyer	*Treasurer*
Leroy Bailey	*Business Manager*
Charles Atkinson	*Advertising Manager*
Ramus Holtz	*Transportation Manager*
Leslie Tennant	*Librarian*
Paul Wonnberger	*Accompanist*
James Lowther	*Reader*
Edgar P. Sorton	*Violin Soloist*

Members

Wilbur Gamblin
Harold Howard
Augustus Ritzinger
Francis Mercer
Arthur Simons
Wilbur Skidmore
Loring Williams
Clyde Backus
Deck Whitescarver
Jacob Hyre

Orchestra

PROFESSOR EDGAR P. SORTON, *Director*

After a lapse of several years an orchestra has been formed under the direction of Edgar P. Sorton, the director of the violin department of the Wesleyan Conservatory. In addition to a mere orchestra there has been formed an Orchestra Club. In previous years, attempts in this department of musical activity have failed because of a lack of real interest. To remedy and stabilize conditions, this club has been formed. By doing this we hope to have made the foundations of a permanent organization and at the same time one which will equal or head all other organizations here.

OFFICERS

PAUL WONNBERGER . . . . . *President*
THOMAS D. HEMING . . . . . *Vice-President*
RETA CASTO . . . . . *Secretary*
FARLAND ARNOLD . . . . . *Treasurer*

Ministerial Association

The Ministerial Association has been a real success during the past school year. It was organized that the students who have chosen the ministry for their life work may be better prepared for the task and may aid each other in deepening their own spiritual lives. Meetings are held on every Tuesday afternoon, at which time addresses are given by prominent preachers. Occasionally the members have an open discussion in which the various problems that arise in the ministry are considered.

The responsibilities have rested heavily upon some of these students, there being six who are serving as pastors of charges in Upshur and Lewis counties. Revival meetings which they have held have resulted in approximately 150 conversions and renewals, with other meetings yet to follow. These young ministers are untiring in their zeal to extend the Master's Kingdom in the earth.

Officers

Francis Mercer . . . . . *President*
Clarence Knapp . . . . . *Vice-President*
Clyde Backus . . . . . *Secretary and Treasurer*
Gaston R. Coyner . . . . . *Press Reporter*

Members

Edgar Christopher
Clarence Knapp
Jesse A. Earle
O. C. Mitchell
Walton Marteney
Darrell C. Rardin
Paul Trimpey
Leroy Bailey
Raymond Shaw
V. C. Cutright
Edward Bofticher

Prof. Brown, *Faculty Adviser*

Student Government

Student Government in Agnes Howard Hall is based on the Honor System. This system is a success because of the loyal co-operation given to it by every Hall girl. It is hoped that it will ever mean as much to Wesleyan girls in the future as it has in the past.

Officers

First Semester		*Second Semester*
Virginia Smith	*President*	Florence Holt
Agnes Crabtree	*Vice-President*	Eugenia Westfall
Ruth Brewster	*Secretary*	Ruth Brewster
Frances Saunders	*Treasurer*	Dora Newlon

Representatives

Lorene Westfall *Senior*	Lorene Westfall *Senior*
Eugenia Westfall *Junior*	Helen Crile *Junior*
Virginia Caudy *Sophomore*	Helen Lacock *Sophomore*
Velma Roth *Freshman*	Loretta Jones *Freshman*

P. K. C.

The Preachers' Kid's Club is an active, energetic organization in Wesleyan, holding social functions regularly throughout the year.

Officers

Elizabeth Thompson . . . . . *President*
Hayward Hamrick . . . . . *Vice-President*
Elizabeth Burton . . . . . *Secretary and Treasurer*
Ruth Crabtree . . . . . *Social Chairman*

Members

Agnes Crabtree
Lorene Westfall
Eugenia Westfall
Ireta Barnes
Hazel Chapman
Mildred Metheney
Frankie Wolfe
Edward Boettcher
Frank Hutchinson
Wilbur Gamblin
Paul Engle
Willard Phillips
George Lazenby
Sterling Wolfe

VARSITY CLUB

The Varsity Club

THE Wesleyan Varsity Club had its beginning in 1910, in an organization known then as the "W" Association. Ward Lanham, Burrell Long (deceased) and Leslie Brooks were appointed as a committee to draft a constitution for the "W" Association. On April 18, 1911, the first officers were elected as follows: President, Ward Lanham; vice-president, John Kellison; secretary, Late B. Davisson; treasurer, George Pierce.

The organization flourished for a time, but after the organizers left school the movement apparently died and the letter men's organization ceased to function for several years. In 1920 the need for an organization for the athletic letter men was again felt. A meeting was called and Albert Krushaok was made president: Dick Thompson, vice-president; Abe Upton, secretary; Hale Pauley, treasurer, and James Johnson, marshal. The name was changed from the "W" Association to the Wesleyan Varsity Club, and a new constitution was adopted. A club room was provided the organization in the gymnasium.

Since 1920 the organization has progressed. The club room now contains pictures of athletic teams in all sports covering a number of years, trophies; cauptured battle flags from gridiron, basketball floor and diamond; records of teams of past years in the different sports; pictures of outstanding athletes; records of many important contests, filed away with the original press accounts, and other interesting and valuable information relative to Wesleyan athletics. The club room is handsomely furnished and serves as a lounging room for students of the college. Old grads returning to Wesleyan find the room particularly interesting.

Nearly one thousand have won the Wesleyan varsity "W" in one form of sport or the other at Wesleyan College in the past thirty-six years. Out of this large number, however, not over one hundred names have ever been on the rolls of the Varsity Club at one time. Several efforts have been made to get in touch with old letter men, but the lack of a source of corrected addresses made the work difficult, and results obtained from the various attempts were usually discouraging. The interest has been carried along, however, from year to year, until the membership is steadily growing with here and there a new member being added every year. It is hoped to at some time in the not far distant future get in touch with every Wesleyan Varsity man living, and once this contact is established, hold it.

The officers and membership of the club at this time ar as follows:

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CASPER KRAUS, Akron . . . *Vice-President*
EVERETT BRINKMAN, Wheeling . *Secretary*
JOHN L. TEETS, Buckhannon . . *Treasurer*
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GILBERT DUDDERAR

The Wesleyan Forensic Association

For the first time in the history of the college, debating was taught in an organized class this year. Early in the fall the class began to prepare for the debates which were held in March.

Seward Reese, Wesleyan's representative in the state contest, was given first place by the teachers of the state schools in the afternoon and second place by the three judges who heard the orations in the evening.

Just before the Christmas holidays Wesleyan debated the University of Pittsburgh.

Question

Resolved: That the United States should substitute for its Departments of War and Navy a unified system of National Defense.

Schedule

At Home	*Abroad*
Negative vs. Fairmont	Affirmative vs. Davis-Elkins
Affirmative vs. Bethany	Negative vs. Salem

Officers

Professor Mildred L. Little . . . . . *Director*
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Dowell Jennings . . . . . *Secretary*

Members

Seward Reese
Clyde Swiger
Leslie Tennant
Thomas Heming
Frank Hutchinson
Nicholas Raschella
James Hornbeck
Phares Reeder
Willard Phillips
Justus Deahl

Fraternities and Sororities

SINCE the Board of Trustees' meeting held during Commencement last year when they went on record as being in favor of Fraternities and Sororities in Wesleyan, a great interest has been shown in these organizations. Three Fraternities and two Sororities have been organized during the year. Listed as they appear in the following section they are:

I. Chi Alpha Tau.

II. Sigma Delta Chi.

III. Alpha Gamma Phi.

IV. Kappa Phi Omega.

V. Sigma Eta Delta.

ΧΑΤ

Chi Alpha Tau

THE Chi Alpha Tau Club was organized November 26, 1923, and was composed of four charter members. John O. Little was the first president. It was designed to provide some of the atmosphere and influence of home, and also social advantages which would otherwise be lacking. During the first year four new members were initiated, making a total of eight in the club.

Upon returning the following year, it was found that only four of the members remained to take up the activities of the Club. After taking in a few new members a house was rented to enable the Club members to live in closer relationship. Because of the ban on fraternities in Wesleyan and the similarity between the Club and a fraternity, the faculty asked the X A T Club to disband at the close of the school year. Before the end of the year, however, the Board of Trustees lifted the ban on fraternities, so the Club continued to function.

At the opening of this school year the Club was given permission to organize as the first local fraternity on Wesleyan's campus. The location was then changed to more spacious quarters on Barbour Street.

Since its organization, the fraternity has sponsored social events of various kinds which have tended to develop pleasant relationships among the students, and to make school life more enjoyable. Due to the hearty co-operation of the members, and friends of Chi Alpha Tau, the organization has prospered and has a bright outlook for the future.

Officers

Tyson P. Kishbaugh . . . . . *President*
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Mark R. Engleka . . . . . *Secretary*
I. Smith Ward . . . . . *Treasurer*
Arnold S. Chatfield . . *Assistant Treasurer*
Frank M. Sigmoose . . *Business Manager*
Walter J. Puroy . . . *House Manager*

Active Members

Everett Brinkman
Fred Camp
Louis J. Colombo
Charles Eib
W. Raymond Fish
Donald Fulton
Hayward Hamrick
Fred Haught
Oscar Johnson
Casper Kraus
John O. Little
Truman J. Lynch
Walter Magers
John H. Moore
Nicholas Raschella
Wilbur Reiter
Bruce Reppert
Martin Stauffer
Howard P. Thomas
Doran C. Woods
Richard Young

Pledges

James Gaylord
John McCans
Omer Young
Lincoln DeLong
William Corcoran

Professor Ralph C. Brown, *Faculty Adviser*

ΣΔΧ

Sigma Delta Chi

Flower: Violets *Colors.* Violet and Grey

The Sigma Delta Chi Sorority was organized in Wesleyan College in the year 1921 by a small group of the women students.

Although this group was not officially recognized as a sorority it functioned as such, and was the first of its kind on the campus.

From the beginning of this organization Professor Mildred Little was adviser to this group, giving her aid, and loyally upholding them in their undertaking.

In February, 1926, the Sigma Delta Chi was recognized as a local sorority. During this year fourteen new members were initiated, making a total of thirty members.

Many social affairs were given by the sorority, and elaborate plans were made for the formal hall—the date being April 26, 1926.

The Sigma Delta Chi Sorority desires to uphold the ideals of Wesleyan College in the future, as they have in the past.

Officers

Lorene Westfall . . . . . *President*
Helen Crile . . . . . *Vice-President*
Kathryn Fultz . . . . . *Secretary*
Vera Parrish . . . . . *Treasurer*
Mary E. McWhorter . . *Social Chairman*

Members

Virginia Ballard
Natalie Simmerman
Elizabeth Stafford
Martha McIntyre
Grace Van Camp
Josephine Crile
Beatrice VanDevender
Eugenia Westfall
Alice McWhorter
Mildred Stafford
Virginia Holt
Marguerite Singleton
Madeline Shackleford
Mary Waugh
Elizabeth McWhorter
Edith White
Caroline Dudderar
Mary Morrison
Helen Hilleary
Martha Brooks
Margaret Ferry
Marion Price
Elizabeth Talbott
Eva Swisher
Virginia Martin

ΑΓΦ

Alpha Gamma Phi

ON Tuesday evening, October 6, 1925, nine young men met at 30 Meade Street for the purpose of talking over the advisability of forming a distinctive Wesleyan fraternity. Today, the Alpha Gamma Phi Fraternity, the result of the deliberations of that small group of last October, is a "going concern," comfortably located in the old Forman Hospital Building, 49 Florida Street.

Especially fortunate is the fraternity in having for its house mother Mrs. Maude Mick. With her acceptance of this position, an institution of some thirteen years' standing, namely, the "Meade Street Beanery," which she had been maintaining, went "out of business." Professor Nicholas Hyma, as fraternity host and adviser, has been responsible in no small degree for the development of the sound brotherly spirit pervading the atmosphere of the Fraternity residence. Mrs. Fred L. Williams, town mother, has added many dainty motherly touches in furnishing the interior of the building.

On Saturday evening, March 13, the Alpha Gamma Phi reception was held, attended by about one hundred and seventy-five Wesleyan friends. After a brief musical program made particularly charming through the medium of Professor Sorton who played several violin selections, the company under the guidance of the fraternity members, inspected the residence. Light refreshments were served. The affair was declared by many a great success.

The colors of the fraternity are maize and blue, symbolizing worth and loyalty.

Active Members

Arthur H. Simons . . . . . *President*
Edward Boetticher . . . . . *First Vice-President*
Clyde Swiger . . . . . *Second Vice-President*
Floyd Prunty . . . . . *Third Vice-President*
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Paul Trimpey
Eugene Modlin
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Harold Howard

Faculty Members

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Active Alumni Members

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Percy Ross

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Allen J. Brown
Andrew C. Shaver
J. Paul Engle
Coy Thomas
Carl Nelson
J. B. Bullington
Frank Wellon
Clay Pugh
Andrew Woofter
John Elkins
Frank Jack

ΚΦΩ

Kappa Phi Omega

Flower: Cream Rose *Colors:* Orchid and Yellow

The Kappa Phi Omega Sorority made its first appearance on the campus early in October, nineteen hundred and twenty-five.

The constitution was drawn up soon after the petition was recognized by the Fraternity Committee.

Pledges and members hold a scholarship of eighty per cent or over in all subjects.

We are very fortunate and indeed very proud to have Miss Eleanor Hancher as our faculty adviser

Officers

Agnes Crabtree . . . . . *President*
Virginia Caudy . . . . . *Vice-President*
Florence Holt . . . . . *Secretary*
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Christine Maxwell . . *Social Chairman*

Charter Members

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Mary Ellen Dorsey
Virginia Smith
Frances Saunders
Virginia Caudy
Evelyn Charlton
Ruth Charlton
Jessie Dunnington
Agnes Crabtree
Florence Holt
Christine Maxwell
Ruth Brewster
Mildred Shunk
Bernice Arnett
Eleanor Reppert
Julia Marshall

Initiates

Ruth Crabtree
Elizabeth Hooker
Edna Corder
Dorothy Withers
Hazel Reppert
Martha Blakeslee
Dora Newlon
Nina Kelley
Edna Miller

Pledges

Winifred Messenger
Mildred Metheny

ΣΗΔ

Sigma Eta Delta

The Sigma Eta Delta Fraternity was organized for the purpose of bringing together a small group of men for mutual benefit and enjoyment.

The organization was recognized by the College as a local fraternity on October 20, 1925. Since that time ten new members have been taken into the fraternity. The fraternity house is at 20 College Avenue.

Officers

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LaMar D. Bond
Louis S. Elb
Paul H. Wonnberger
Paul P. Snyder
Burl Young

Dr. R. E. Leubbers, *Faculty Adviser*

ATHLETICS

Impotent pieces of the Game he plays
Upon this chequerboard of nights and days;
The Ball no question makes of Ayes and Noes,
But Right or Left as strikes the Player goes.

—*Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam.*

BOOK FOUR

Athletic Board of Directors

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Wesleyan Athletics

(1925-1926)

A PROPHECY has been fulfilled! Looking back a few years into the gloom that shrouded Wesleyan's athletics, one sees the path leading out paved with blocks of success hewn out by undying Wesleyan enthusiasm, optimism earnest effort and loyal co-operation. Two years ago the prophecy was made that Wesleyan people would gaze back upon the years of 1924 and 1925 and point to these as landmarks in Wesleyan's athletic progress. That prophecy has been fulfilled, and more than fulfilled, for another great year has been added.

Wesleyan's success during the past year has been genuine Wesleyan success. Our teams have been coached by Wesleyan-coached coaches; our victories have been Wesleyan victories. Success inspires optimism, and one cannot but see a bright future for Wesleyan in 1926 and 1927, after recalling the achievements of the past year.

In foothall Wesleyan carried it flag further abroad nationally, chiefly by conquering Boston College in Boston. At the same time the time-honored prestige in West Virginia was successfully upheld against the covetous ambitions of old and powerful rivals.

In basketball Wesleyan won back the state collegiate championship lost three years ago, against greater odds than have ever heretofore been encountered. In baseball and tennis Wesleyan has gained ground, and planned for seasons to come.

An intramural athletic program has been developed, furnishing ample opportunity for every student attending Wesleyan to take part in the various forms of athletics, in addition to the regular work in physical education.

Adhering strictly to the high standards upon which the present athletic system was founded; making athletic standards second only to scholastic standards and co-operating whole-heartedly with other departments of the institution, makes athletics worth while at Wesleyan and mean more to those who participate.

In the success of Wesleyan athletics, is well reflected the consistent progress being made by Wesleyan College in all of its departments. Each new achievement forms a landmark along the road of progress. The achievements of the 1925-1926 seasons make landmarks of which Wesleyan can well be proud. Wesleyan can, must and will carry on, in athletics as in other things, always toward the higher and the best.

CECIL B. ROES
Head Coach of All Sports
Wesleyan, '23.

CARL V. MILLER
Director of Athletics
Assistant Football Coach
Wesleyan, '17.

CHALMER A. AULT
Assistant Football Coach
Wesleyan, '24.

JOHN L. TEETS
Assistant Athletic Director
Director of Publicity
Wesleyan, '26.

From Left to Right, Top Row: J. Moore, H. Moore, Kraus, Swiger, Griffith, Alvis, Bullington
Third Row: Colombo, Thomas, Davis, Nutter, Brinkman, Dowell, Kolopus, Anderson, Bond, Fish.
Second Row: Rader, Sanders, Dietrich, Weiss, B. Young, Corcoran, Reiter, O. Young, Trainer.
Bottom Row: McClung, Garrity, Weihl, McCormick, King, DeLong, Meeks, Kemerer, Scheib.

The 1925 Football Season

THE season opened with Wesleyan avenging one of the two defeats suffered in 1924 when the Bob Cats trounced Waynesburg College, 7-0, in Clarksburg. The game was hard-fought throughout, but in spite of the terrific heat and the powerful opposition, Wesleyan could not be denied. Wesleyan held the advantage all through the game, and in the final period, following a concentrated drive Weihl ripped his way through the Yellow Jacket line for a touchdown. It was Coach Ross's first collegiate game and although hard-fought, was a well-deserved victory.

Broaddus College came to Buckhannon the following Friday for the annual game. On a field covered with mud Wesleyan met a game team offering stubborn opposition, but won handily, 18-0. Weihl's 69-yard run for touchdown was the feature of the game. This game ushered in the gridiron season which will go down in football history as "the year of mud."

In a driving rain the following Friday in Clarksburg, Wesleyan met and defeated Salem College 13-0. The game was played in a sea of mud. Salem failed to make a single first down and fumbles at critical times caused Wesleyan to lose several chances to score. Garrity and Weihl scored the touchdowns on straight line play.

The following Saturday Wesleyan met its first defeat of the season at the hands of the powerful Lehigh University eleven. Lehigh scored early in the first quarter with a field goal. Wesleyan had considerable success against Lehigh and appeared the winner of the game throughout the contest. The Methodists, however, failed to take advantage of several hard-earned opportunities to score and lost, 3-0.

West Virginia University mastered Wesleyan for the sixth consecutive season the following Saturday at Morgantown, 16-0. Wesleyan held a decided advantage at the opening of the game, carrying the ball to the Mountaineer's one-yard line, but failed to take it over. Alvis then blocked Barnum's punt and Bullington hopped on the ball behind the West Virginia goal line, but the referee ruled that Wesleyan was offside. This break seemed to dishearten Wesleyan, and aside from putting up a desperate defensive battle, the laurels went to the Mountaineers. Dame Fortune was kind, but when she smiled, Wesleyan became bewildered. Few better teams than West Virginia flitted across the gridiron horizon last year.

On the afternoon of October 31, Wesleyan and Davis-Elkins met at College Field, Buckhannon. The "Splinter Stadium" was packed. After the Scarlet Hurricane had held West Virginia to a 6-0 verdict, the belief was abroad that D. & E. would conquer Wesleyan. This would have forced Wesleyan into third place in the state, a position the Bob Cats have been forced into but once in twenty-two years. With the exception of the field, the day was ideal for football. The air was charged with expectancy, when the two rival elevens came on the field. Living up to advance notice the Davis & Elkins Hurricane swept the Orange and Black down the field ahead of them during the first few minutes of play. At the 27-yard line Wesleyan made its last stand. Davis & Elkins or no other team that day could have gained an inch. The Hurricane kicked a field goal and led 3-0.

Wesleyan came back with a punch. Into the line for a first down, and then to the air for another and and Wesleyan was at mid-field. Then came a master stroke of football—Cebe Ross's now famous triple lateral pass, Weihl to Reiter to Garrity. With perfect interference, "Irish" Garrity galloped to the two-yard line. On the next play Kraus smashed through left tackle for touchdown. The scoring for the day was over. Wesleyan had quieted the "Hurricane" 6-3.

The following Saturday saw Wesleyan's battered eleven in Baltimore, playing the Quantico Marines. On a quagmire gridiron, with rain falling, no color, no collegiate rivalry, outweighed and out of their class, Wesleyan nevertheless fought gallantly and gave the "Devil Dogs" trouble in winning 12-0.

The close of the season came at Boston when Wesleyan defeated Boston College 7-6 in a thrilling contest. The two teams, much to the surprise of the east, battled on even terms throughout the first quarter. In the second, after playing brilliantly, Boston scored on a long forward pass. Wesleyan blocked the kick for a goal. At the half Boston led 6-0. In the third period Wesleyan opened up and held a big advantage but failed to score. Not disheartened the West Virginians fought on into the closing quarter. On another famous Ross play, a forward and lateral combination, King to Alvis to Weihl, the latter went to the 27-yard line. The drive was never halted. Kraus scored the touchdown that tied the score, and Brownie Corcoran kicked the goal that won the game.

The following morning when Coach Toss and his victorious Bob Cats ate breakfast at the Pennsylvania Hotel in New York, it was with a well-earned smile of satisfaction that the team read in the New York Times, "Dartmouth, West Virginia Wesleyan and Harvard Victorious." The recogintion was deserved.

The Season's Record

Wesleyan	7;	Waynesburg	0
Wesleyan	18;	Broaddus	0
Wesleyan	13;	Salem	0
Wesleyan	0;	Lehigh	3
Wesleyan	0;	West Virginia	16
Wesleyan	6;	Davis-Elkins	3
Wesleyan	0;	Quantico Marines	12
Wesleyan	7;	Boston College	6

Winners of the Football "W," 1925

Captain "Red" King
Nicholas Raschella
Edward Garrity
William Corcoran
Casper Kraus
Martin Dietrich
Link DeLong
Fred Weihl
Raymond Scheib
John Moore
Paul Kemerer (Capt.-Elect, '26)
Jeffory Meeks
Edward Trainer
J. B. Bullington
Everett Brinkman
Ralph Alvis
Wilbur Reiter

The 1926 Schedule

September	24	Salem College at Clarksburg
October	2	Bethany at Buckhannon
October	9	New York University, New York City
October	16	Waynesburg at Clarksburg
October	23	West Virginia at Morgantown
October	30	Boston College at Boston
November	6	Navy at Annapolis
November	12	Broaddus at Buckhannon
November	20	St. Xavier at Cincinnati
November	27	Davis and Elkins at Clarksburg

From Left to Right, Top Row: Thomas, Lichtenfeld, Kishbaugh, Purdy, O. Young.
Middle Row: R. Young, Bachtel, McCormick, Anderson, Reiter, Davis.
Bottom Row: Jack, Corcoran, McClung, Kraus, Brinkman, Capt. Weihl, Ross.

Basketball, 1926

THE 1926 basketball season will go down into history as one of the most successful seasons a Wesleyan floor team has ever enjoyed. Starting out very impressively, Wesleyan gave the state its first upset by defeating West Virginia University at Morgantown 35-33 in a thrilling extra-period game. This gave Wesleyan its first notice of the season, among the non-conference teams of the tri-state district.

The close of the season furnished West Virginia one surprise after another and ended in a championship series with the powerful Davis and Elkins College five, undefeated by a West Virginia team in two years. Wesleyan lost the opening game of the series to her old rivals in Elkins 25-13. The cause against the powerful "Hurricane" seemed hopeless. A week later the two teams met for the second game of the series on a neutral floor at Clarksburg. Scarcely a soul in the state, outside the Wesleyan team, expected Wesleyan to have a chance to win. In the final seconds of play, however, after out-fighting and out-playing their rivals all the way, Wesleyan won, 31-30. Many declared the result to be an accident, and despite the result of the second game, Wesleyan had few followers outside its own loyal adherents who believed the smaller and lighter Bob Cat five had a chance to take the third game. This contest was played on the eve of the opening of the thirteenth annual state high school basketball tournament, and friends and foes from all parts of the state were on hand to witness the game. It was a rare championship battle.

Wesleyan took the lead, but Davis and Elkins soon evened the count, and a thrilling race was on. At the half-way mark Davis and Elkins was leading 19-14. Returning to the game Wesleyan seemed possessed with that traditional fighting spirit that for twenty odd years has made Wesleyan athletic teams famous. The score was tied and Wesleyan forged to the front. Davis and Elkins was not being out-played, but was clearly out-fought. With but a few minutes to play the "Hurricane" in a last desperate rally tied the score at 26 all. The fighting Bobcats, however, were not to be denied. McClung tossed the basket a second later that untied the score, and just before the timer's pistol cracked sent another basket through the hoop for good measure. The victory, which carried the state title with it, was most impressive.

Captain Weihl and Kraus at guard proved themselves to be two of the best in the tri-state district. Later Kraus was moved to center, Corcoran taking the guard and playing the position in stellar fashion the rest of the season. The forwards, McClung, Brinkman, Reiter and McCormick, took turns starring during the season. Anderson at center also came in for his share of the laurels. It was Anderson and Brinkman who defeated D. and E. in the second game, Reiter who tossed the basket that conquered West Virginia, and McClung who took the title event with his spectacular play. McClung was high scorer of the season with Brinkman a close second. The team played together well throughout the year and showed the results of splendid coaching.

Following is the team's record:

Wesleyan	26;	Alfred University	42
Wesleyan	47;	Broaddus College	27
Wesleyan	25;	Marietta	34
Wesleyan	34;	George Washington University	29
Wesleyan	35;	West Virginia University	33
Wesleyan	34;	Fairmont College	35
Wesleyan	32;	Bethany College	38
Wesleyan	30;	Salem College	19
Wesleyan	32;	Bethany College	28
Wesleyan	36;	Salem College	32
Wesleyan	29;	Marietta College	31
Wesleyan	27;	Marshall College	31
Wesleyan	30;	Marshall College	13
Wesleyan	13;	Davis and Elkins College	25
Wesleyan	18;	West Virginia University	20
Wesleyan	31;	Davis and Elkins College	30
Wesleyan	36;	Fairmont College	21
Wesleyan	30;	Davis and Elkins College	26

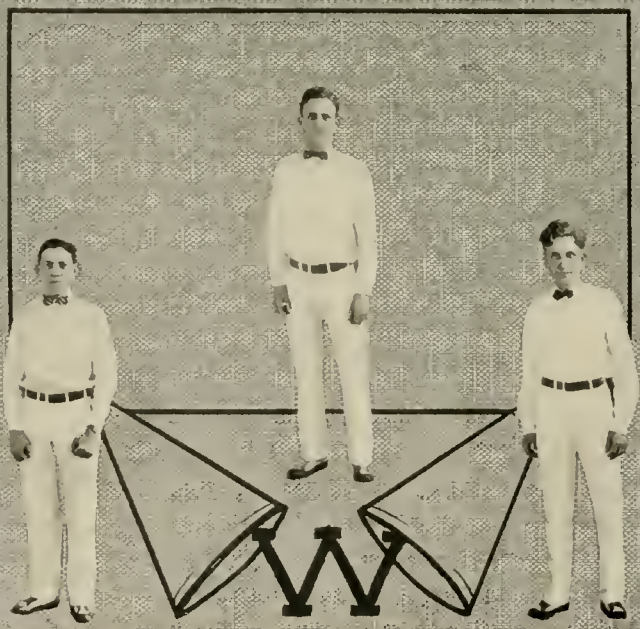
Basketball Letter Men

KRAUS
CORCORAN
ANDERSON

CAPTAIN WEIHL
STUDENT MANAGER JACK

MCCLUNG
BRINKMAN
REITER

Baseball — 1925.



Baseball, 1925

THE 1925 baseball record shows that Wesleyan again placed a strong diamond team in the field, although but five games were won of the thirteen played. Two games were played with the Clarksburg club of the Mid-Atlantic League, games that Wesleyan had no chance to win. This makes the Bobcat diamond record nearly balance.

Owing to the scarcity of schools in the tri-state district supporting baseball schedules, it is growing more difficult every year. To complete a schedule part must contain a long road trip and few teams are at their best when on long road jaunts in any sport.

The high spot of the season came in the final Wesleyan-West Virginia game when for eight innings Link DeLong, veteran Wesleyan pitcher, hurled a no hit-no run game. In this inning, however, Hawley of West Virginia singled, the ball was lost momentarily in the tall grass that was not cut in a portion of the right field, and the confusion that followed permitted the single to be stretched into a home run with two men on the paths ahead also scoring.

The record for the season:

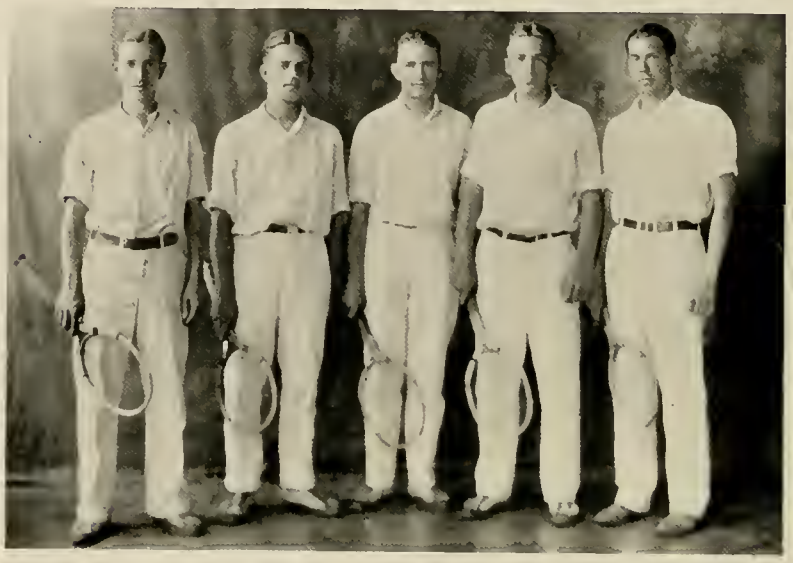
Wesleyan	11	Clarksburg Cubs	3
Wesleyan	3	Marshall College	9
Wesleyan	12	Marshall College	1
Wesleyan	3	West Virginia University	4
Wesleyan	9	West Virginia University	6
Wesleyan	6	Bethany College	11
Wesleyan	1	Clarksburg (M.-A.)	12
Wesleyan	2	Quantico Marines	14
Wesleyan	0	Georgetown University	5
Wesleyan	3	Clarksburg (M.-A.)	15
Wesleyan	16	Marshall College	10
Wesleyan	7	Marshall College	3
Wesleyan	1	West Virginia University	3

1926 Baseball Schedule

April 23	West Virginia University, here
April 30	Fairmont College, there
May 1-3	Clarksburg (M.-A.), there
May 7-8	West Virginia University, there
May 10-11	Bethany College, there
May 12	St. Vincent College, Beatty, Pa.
May 13-14	Juanita College, there
May 15	Penn. State, there
May 21-22	Bethany College, here
May 24	Davis and Elkins College, here
May 28	Davis and Elkins College, here
June 8	Alumni game, here

Cheer Leaders

During the athletic season this year Wesleyan has had better cheering than has ever been heard here before. This excellent cheering is largely due to the efforts of Bill O'Brien, who has been our cheer leader for three years. We certainly will miss Bill next year and it is very doubtful whether we can find another to lead the cheering as well as he has done it for the past three years. He has been helped in a very fine manner this year by the two assistant cheer leaders, Martin Stauffer and Bill Young.



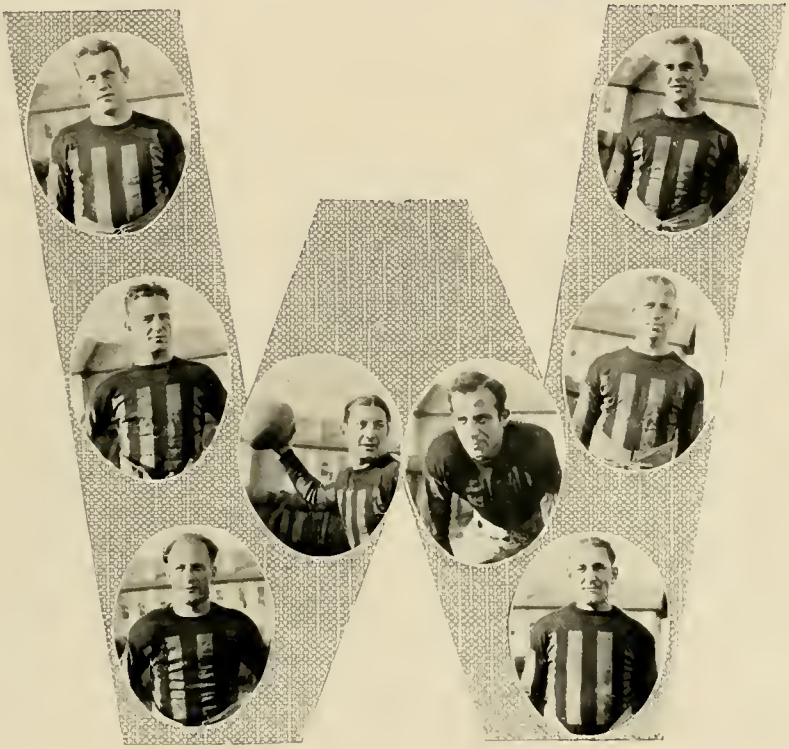
Tennis, 1925

For two seasons tennis has been a major sport at Wesleyan. Through the work of Jess Hall it was placed on the list of major sports, and all indications are that it will remain, for it is growing in popularity.

Eugene Modlin was elected captain and manager for 1925. He arranged eight matches, of which the two with West Virginia University had to be dropped. Matches were won from the Clarksburg Tennis Club and Potomac State College; one match with the Clarksburg Tennis Club was tied, and matches were lost to Carnegie, Duquesne and Pitt.

The team was composed of the following men: Daniel F. Westfall, Jess Hall, Eugene Modlin, Fred Haught, Gilbert Dudderar, John Coburn.

The schedule of 1926 as completed to date contains matches with Pitt, Duquesne Michigan Aggies and Wheeling Tennis Club.



A Toast to the Departing Veterans

Here's to "Irish," Jeff, King and "Chick,"
"Dotch," John Moore, Trainer and Nick;
As your sunset comes in the gridiron west,
None stop to reason which man is best.
The victories won were not won by one—
Not because some man was best.
Victories came that brought on fame,
When each fought for the rest.
Here is the wish of a thousand friends,
Who are playing today where the gridiron ends;
That you'll each go out from the chalk-lined world,
With banners of unselfishness unfurled,
And, meeting men in all kinds of weather, remember—
That success comes only when men work together.

Girls' Athletics

The Girls' Athletic Association under the direction of Miss Nason has always been a vital factor in the life of the school. Too much praise can not be given to Miss Nason when we consider the untiring manner with which she has worked with the organization. It has been through her efforts that class basketball has popularized at Wesleyan. Miss Nason has developed a keen interest in track and outdoor baseball. Much progress has been attained also in the furthering of hockey. The department under her guidance is advancing rapidly.

Girls' Basketball

VIRGINIA CAUDY
ANNIS ROSS
MARTHA MCINTIRE
FLORENCE HOLT
HELEN LACOCK
GRACE VANCAMP
ETHEL WOLFE

The scheduling of games for the girls' team this year was impossible. However, the girls enjoyed a splendid season participating in class basketball. At the end of the season an honorary varsity was chosen. It is hoped that there will be as much progress in the girl's department next year as has been made this year.

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Intramural Athletics

THE spring of 1925 saw the introduction of a program of intramural sports into Wesleyan. The first program was more or less of an experiment. It included inter-class baseball and a track and field day. Several games of baseball were played, the Sophomore class coming out on top with all victories and no defeats. In the track meet Frank Jack carried off top honors with 26½ points. Tyson Kishbaugh and Martin Stauffer ran a tie for second place with 16 points each. To the winner of each event an orange ribbon was given as a trophy. A tennis tournament was held with Bruce Reppert as manager. John McCans won the tournament, having played Harry Wolfe in the finals.

In the fall of 1925 three basketball leagues were organized. These were: A major inter-class league for men, a minor league of Wesleyan organizations, and a girl's inter-class league. In the major league the Freshmen, after a season in which they had competition all the way, came through without a single defeat. The final standing was as follows:

	Won	*Lost*	*Percentage*
Freshmen	9	0	1.000
Sophomores	5	4	.555
Seniors	4	5	.444
Juniors	0	9	.000

In the minor league the Chi Alpha Tau team ran off with honors by winning five and losing none. The other teams in the league were: The Benzene Ring, Sigma Eta Delta, Ministerial Association, Alpha Gamma Phi and Freshmen seconds.

In co-operation with the Physical Education Department, swimming classes were held once a week for men and one each for advanced girl swimmers and the beginners.

The experiment of intra-mural sports is proving a success and a committee composed of Prof. Nicholas Hyma, Prof. Alice Nason, E. E. Stoffel and Arthur Simons has been appointed to advance the work and institute an efficient system. The policy calls for a gradual enlargement of the program. It is hoped that the near future will see a new athletic field devoted to this type of sport which is for the greatest good to the greatest number.

The State High School Basketball Tournament

This event, played annually under the auspices of West Virginia Wesleyan College, has come to be an athletic institution in the state. The thirteenth annual tournament was played in the college gymnasium on March 19 and 20. Thirty-two teams were entered and the class of basketball played was considered the best throughout the tournament of any state floor meet held yet.

Eight of the teams were winners of the championships of the eight territorial divisions of the state. These teams won their titles in the sectional tournaments played at Wheeling, Fairmont, Clarksburg, Keyser, Philippi, Montgomery, Huntington and Athens on March 5 and 6. Eight other teams represented the runners-up of these sectional meets. In addition to these 16 teams, the two best teams then from each of the eight sections were selected by the State High School Athletic Association to fill out the 32-team entry.

After two days of thrilling basketball, Elkins and Pt. Pleasant High met in the finals. Elkins, winner of the first state tournament held here in 1914, defeated Pt. Pleasant 16-12 in a real championship battle. Coach Frank Wimer of the winning team was the captain of the first state champions in 1914.

The tournament as usual was well-planned and efficiently managed by a well-organized group of students, and was the usual success in every way. Cheering delegations from several high schools gave scholastic color to the large crowds that filled the gymnasium each session. Buckhannon and Weston High Schools carried away the big cheering trophies, while William Sutter of Washington and Irving High School, won the trophy for being the best cheer leader at the tournament.

The fourteenth annual state tournament will be held here next year on the same relative dates as this year. In the changing from a wide-open entry tournament to a select entry list, based on sectional tournament play, changes in the state tournament plan are possible. Both Wesleyan and the State High School Athletic Association are working and co-operating whole-heartedly to make the biggest high school athletic event West Virginia has, of more and more benefit to the high schools of West Virginia, and any changes made for the coming year will be made with this end in view.

COLLEGE YEAR

Ah, make the most of what we yet may spend,
Before we too into the Dust descend;
Dust into Dust and under Dust to lie
Sans wine, sans song, sans singer and—sans End!

—*Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam.*

BOOK FIVE

Calendar

SEPTEMBER

15—School opens.
17—Cresto-Excelsior Reception.
26—Football game. W. V. W. C., 7; Waynesburg, 0.
31—John Smith attends first class.

OCTOBER

2—Columbus discovered America.
6—Books ordered at the bookstore.
9—"Link" DeLong starts studying.
10—"Link" DeLong stops studying.
22—John Smith attends another class.
31—Last day of the month. Everybody takes a holiday.

NOVEMBER

2—Agnes Howard Hall—Open House.
4—"Dick" Alvis answered "Prepared" for first and last time of the year.
13—Friday 13, unlucky.
15—A freshman asks: "When will the 'Murmurmontis' be out?"
20—John Smith attends a third class.
23—Freshmen win tug of war.
25—Thanksgiving holidays.

DECEMBER

1—School opens again.
2—Scheib forgets to talk about Michigan.
2—Afternoon: Scheib makes up for lost time.
4—Books ordered on October 6 arrive.
10—Freshmen begin to write letters to Santa Claus.
19—Christmas holidays.

JANUARY

1—New Year's resolution.
5—School opens.
10—Everybody begins to plan to study.
16—X. A. T. party.
24—Everybody starts studying for mid-term.
25—Mid-term exams.

FEBRUARY

1—Smith attends fourth class.
2—Smith quits school.
15—Freshman dance.
22—Wesleyan Player party.

MARCH

1—Excelsior operetta.
3—Professor Bowers threatens to give quiz.
4—Ditto.
5—Professor Bowers gives test.
10—Potatoes served at Agnes Howard Hall.
11—Potatoes served at Agnes Howard Hall.
14—Sunday "dates" served at Agnes Howard Hall.
20—Brownie stops studying to blow his nose.
21—Brownie is rebuked for his negligence.
19-20—Almost forgot to record the basketball tournament.
31—Easter holidays.

APRIL

1—April Fool.
2—April Fool is past and you're the biggest fool at last.
15—The great question, "When will the 'Murmurmontis' be out?"
30—"Murmurmontis" gone to press.

When a girl says she is going to be an old maid, she is just preparing an alibi to use in case the unexpected happens.

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Frosh: "Helen C. talks a lot, doesn't she?"

Senior: "Yeah, but she isn't to blame."

Frosh: "Well, what's that got to do with it?"

Senior: "Dumbell, don't you see? The doctor made a mistake and vaccinated her with a Victrola needle."

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Definition of a Widow

The luckiest of all women; she knows all about men, and all the men who know anything about her are dead.

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Brinkman: "Will you take this ring back?"

Salesman: "Doesn't it suit?"

Brinkman: "Yes, but I don't."

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When he first came to see her,
She showed a timid heart,
And then the lights were low,
They sat this far apart.

But when the love grew warmer,
And they learned the joy of a kiss,
They knocked out all the space,
Andsatupcloselikethis.

A Wail

If all the world were a bottomless pit,
And this bottomless pit no bottom had;
And if the yawning gulf of it
Were the place for all things bad;

In the lowest part of this bottomless pit,
In the very bottom of its base,
In the deepest depths of its yawning gulf,
Examinations should find a place.

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Mary M.: "You'd better get a haircut."

Nick: "But it costs a lot."

Mary: "Well, it's cheaper than buying a violin."

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LOST: Between Science Hall and Music Hall, a fountain pen, by a freshman half-full of ink.

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In the spring a young man's fancy
Lightly turns to thoughts of how
He can get the suit he's after
Without paying for it now.

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Father: "Young man, you couldn't even buy my daughter's clothes.

Junie Queen: "I could help."

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Nit: "What did she say to the Dean when she was shipped?"

Wit: "She congratulated the College on turning out such fine women."

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Three rapid means of transmitting news:
Telegraph;
Telephone;
Tellawoman.

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Edna: "Jean Cork is now encouraging two suitors, a doctor and lawyer. The other day the lawyer sent her a barrel of apples."

Va.S.: "Why was that?"

Edna: "He thinks that an apple a day keeps the doctor away."

Freshmen Registering Intelligence

Teacher: "The prince was born when the Battle of Leipzig took place. Now, who can tell me the date of his birth?"

Pupil: "The 17th, 18th and 19th of October."

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The new musical comedy came to town.

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Professor Hyma: "What does sea water contain besides sodium chloride?"

Nick Latham: "Fish."

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Fat American: "I lost ten pounds last week."

Englishman: "Bah jove! You American chappies certainly are careless with your money."

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"What will you do if I kiss you?"

"I'll bite."

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Professor Scott: "Mr. McCray, name an organ of the body."

Orval McCray: "The Tooth."

Prof: "What kind of an organ is the tooth?"

Orval: "A grind organ."

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Pete: "Have you read 'To a Field Mouse'?"

Repeat: "No, how do you get them to listen?"

ACTION
Spotter,
Dater,
Rusher,
Embracer,
Kisser,
Lover,
Leaver,
Finder
'nother—
Do the same.

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"Football ain't what it used to be," sighed an old grad. In a couple of years the rules will read like this:

"Tackling shall conform with the following ritual: The offending player shall recite:

"Roses are red,
Violets are blue,
If you don't stop running,
I'll tackle you."

"Whereupon, the defending player shall answer:

"Old lace and lavender,
Rouge and new shoes,
If you are horrid,
I hope you lose."

Thereupon, the ball will be declared dead, and the representatives of each team named pallbearers.

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Teacher: "Jimmy, what's the Ancient Order of the Bath?"

Jimmy: "I duno. Pa usually comes first, then Johnny, then the baby, then me."

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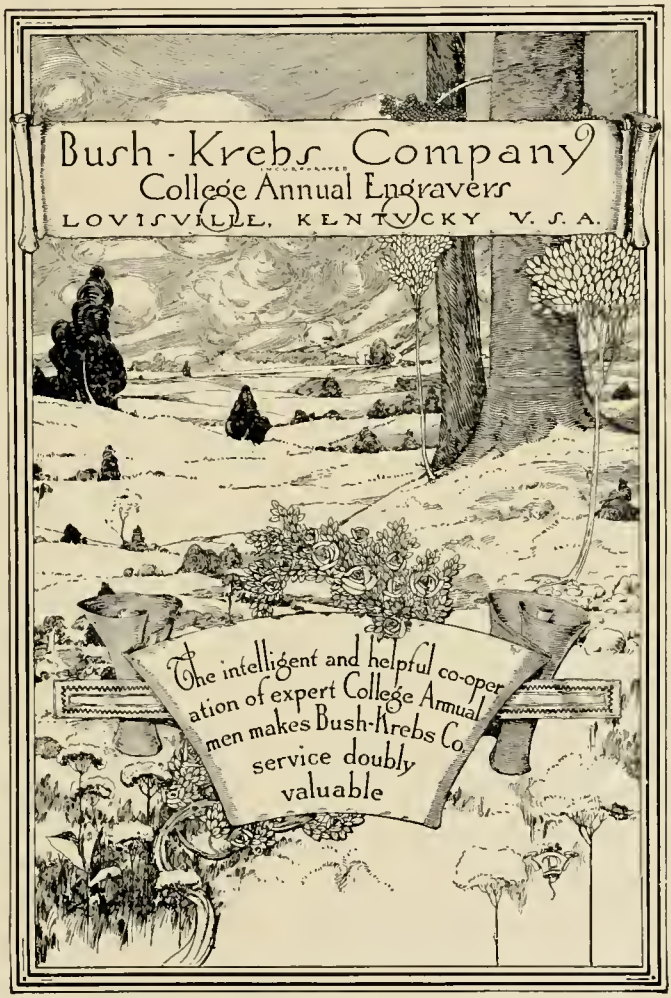
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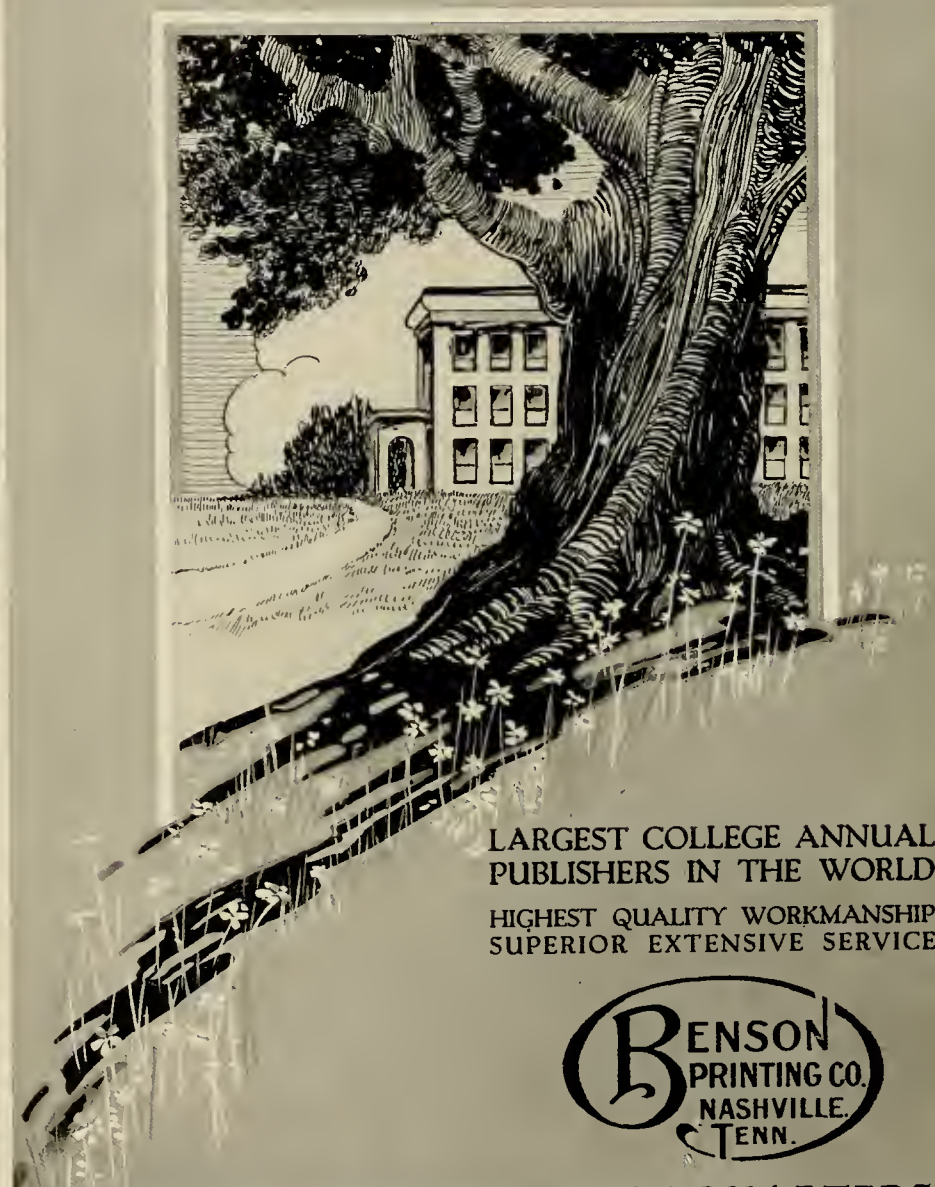

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